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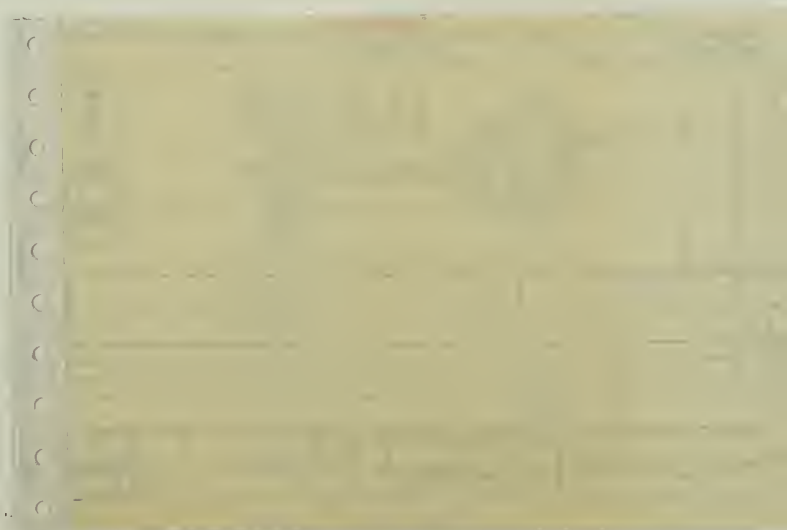
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Nine Faculty Members Start This Year at JC

Five full time and four part time instructors have joined Thornton Junior College's academic staff this year. While a full scale interview is planned with each of our new faculty members in future editions of the *Courier*, this brief introduction will, we hope, make them feel welcome.

Bailey McGruder, 2106 West Jarvis, Chicago, was born in Florida but was educated at Murry State College, B.S. and Northwestern University, M.A. Mr. McGruder replaces Mr. Wolfson who is now teaching at Oregon State College.

Martin K. Baker, Mr. Martin K. Baker is presently a Ph.D. candidate at the University of Chicago. He has his undergraduate degree, B.A., from Carleton College, Northfield, Minnesota, and his M.A. from the University of Chicago.

Eugene M. Wensel, Mr. Eugene M. Wensel is from Peoria, Illinois, but he was born in Beloit, Wisconsin. He received his undergraduate degree, B.A., from Carthage College, Carthage, Illinois, and his M.S. from the University of Cincinnati. Mr. Wensel will teach zoology.

Palmer O. Reed, Mr. Palmer O. Reed, who will teach zoology and botany classes, is from Morris, Illinois. He received his B.A. from Illinois University and his M. Ed. from the University of Illinois. He has also done advanced graduate work at the University of Colorado and the University of Illinois.

Wayne Willard, Mr. Wayne Willard, who will teach psychology and education classes, comes from Westmont, Illinois. Mr. Willard received his M. Ed. from the University of Illinois, and he has done advanced graduate work at the University of Colorado and Western Illinois University.

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Mary Comegys, a T.H.S. faculty member and a recipient of a John Hay Fellowship two years ago which was spent at the University of Iowa, will be teaching four classes in the junior college. Her undergraduate degree, a B.A., is from the College of St. Francis in Joliet, Illinois. Her M.A. was awarded by the University of Illinois.

Martha Wetzel, a Thorndridge faculty member, will teach college physical education classes as well as high school classes. From Seymour, Illinois, Miss Wetzel received her B. Ed. at Northern Illinois State Teachers College and has done graduate work at the University of Iowa and the University of Colorado.

Howard Heise, Mr. Howard Heise, originally from Red Wing, Minnesota, received his undergraduate degree, a B.S., from Wisconsin State College. Mr. Heise recently completed his M.A. in speech at the University of South Dakota; he will teach speech in both the college and the high school.

Kent Newbury, Mr. Kent Newbury will teach choral music in both T.H.S. and T.J.C. Mr. Newbury has his B. M. and M. M. from Indiana University. He makes his home in Chicago.

Forging Ahead!

Bricks, construction workers, wheelbarrows, and dust will be a part of your schedule at Thornton Junior College this fall. Under way is a four and one-half million dollar expansion of facilities at TTHS and T.J.C. This is a view of the new cafeteria extension and addition.



Legislation of General Assembly of Major Interest to Junior Colleges

Legislation enacted by the 73rd General Assembly of the State of Illinois is of major interest to those persons associated with junior colleges.

Be you student, faculty member, administrator, property owner, or football fan, your state government and the attitude expressed in bills passed, defeated, or under consideration affects your junior college.

These Were Passed

For example, passed at the last session of the state legislature were:

1. An appropriation of approximately 2.02 million dollars for meeting the deficiency in junior college state aid claims for the biennial past. Since more of the existing junior colleges were operating on anticipation warrants, this was essential.

2. Provisions to provide 50,000 to 100,000 dollars to newly organized junior college districts in order that they may have operating funds in the planning stages.

3. After 1963, earlier state aid will be available for the newly formed junior college. This bill reduces the differential between money received and money expended from state aid distribution in the operating school year.

4. Appropriation of \$11,500,000 for junior college state aid.

Unsigned By Kerner

Bills passed by the General Assembly but still awaiting Governor Kerner's signature include such items as: an increase in funds and size of area encompassing junior college district; clarification of the bonding power of a junior college district as well as its legal status; reduces the likelihood of a small

high school district attempting to establish a junior college where it cannot be supported; automatic tax levies of .175% and .075% for operating junior colleges by board resolution; setting junior college terms more leniently; provides methods for annexation and detachment; allows for Saturday classes; some provision of funds for expanding facilities of existing junior colleges to fit in the expanded educational responsibilities; provisions for license to one holding a doctorate but no master's degree; provisions for scholarships to those pursuing advanced education after junior college in the teaching field; increases state aid appointment from \$7.60 to \$10.00 per semester hour completed; and technical programs of an approved nature would be matched by one dollar of state monies and two dollars of federal monies in junior college districts.

One Bill Out

One great disappointment to all associated with the junior college movement was the loss of House Bill 963. This bill would have provided ADN, associated degrees in nursing, for junior college facilities able to qualify with instructional programs. Some hope is still held, however. Attorney General William G. Clark feels the ADN program should be allowed under present law, and in opinion, there is nothing to prohibit the establishment of such a program without additional laws passed. No such action will be taken in the immediate future, however.

With the growing emphasis on the junior college movement in the State of Illinois, your state legislature will be more concerned than ever. The *Courier* will try to keep you posted.

Hear Ye; Hear Ye, Greetings . . .

I want to extend a warm welcome to all students in Thornton Junior College. The times call for new dimensions in skills, in leadership, and in creativity. I know of no better way to meet these demands than by thorough training in the disciplines. Coupled with scholarship should be an interest in the pressing problems of our times. This, too, calls for leadership and a dedication to the things that have made our way of life the finest on earth.

Best wishes.

Cordially yours,
James D. Logsdon, Superintendent

We are pleased to welcome you to Thornton Junior College. We are proud of the college and its standing as it has developed during the thirty-sixth year since it was organized. We are confident you will be proud to be a part of the college.

We hope you give your best efforts in the months ahead—keep ahead of your work assignments and there will be time for play. My best wishes for a successful year to each of you.

Lee Dulgar, Dean

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"Another opening, another show . . ." the opening line of Cole Porter's *Kiss Me Kate*, is suitable for Thornton Junior College's thirty-seventh fall semester.

Wild Bells

Those wild bells Edgar Allen Poe talked about rang out for several faculty members this summer.

Miss Lois Allen, English and dramatics instructor at Thornton Junior College, and Mr. Dale Champman, history instructor at TJC, were married in a private ceremony on August 3. Mr. and Mrs. Chapman will both continue to teach at Thornton J.C. Mr. John Stanfield, English and journalism instructor at TJC and Barbara Frehe of Michigan City, Indiana, and director of public relations for the First Federal Savings and Loan of La Porte County, Indiana, were married at the Methodist Church in Michigan City on June 8. Several faculty members and students attended. Mr. Ron Wagner, T.H.S. sophomore, served as one of the ushers.

Our best wishes and congratulations to all!

Under the direction of Dr. James D. Logsdon, Superintendent of School District 305, and Mr. Lee Dulgar, Dean of Thornton Junior College, TJC opens its doors once again to returning sophomores and brand new freshmen.

Opened Doors 1927
Since the fall of 1927, when Thornton Junior College opened its doors for the first time, Harvey's only junior college has been training and educating the young people and adults of this area.

As Thomas R. Funderburk, TJC '48, and now art director for Benjamin Books of New York put it, "Thornton Junior College gave me my start in education. If it hadn't been for the understanding advice and educational direction I received here, I would not have known I wanted an education. I have Thornton to thank for awakening a somewhat dull ambition." Mr. Funderburk and his wife, the former Ann Jane Evans, were visitors this summer at the home of the *Courier* adviser, Mr. John Stanfield.

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"New Construction Under Way" has been the prevailing atmosphere at Thornton Junior College and TTHS this past summer. This is the view from just outside the Junior College office looking toward the new third floor addition.

The Moving Finger writes; and, having writ,
Moves on: nor all their Piety nor Wit
Shall lure it back to cancel half a Line,
Nor all their Tears wash out a Word of it.

When Edward Fitzgerald translated the work of an obscure Persian poet by the name of Omar Khayyam, or translated literally . . . Abraham, Son of the Tentmaker, in 1859, he was surely unaware that one day his translations might be used for this purpose.

Fitzgerald was an artist, probably more of an artist than our friend . . . the son of a tentmaker. Scholars believe The Rubaiyat is nine-tenths Fitzgerald and one-tenth our friend.

But what Fitzgerald or Khayyam say in the verse about the moving finger having written is most important to you today.

Have you asked yourself what you are doing here? Are you a brand new college student because going to college is the "thing" to do? Are you trying to "keep up" with the Joneses? Are you here simply to "mark time"? Or are you here for the prime purpose—an education?

Far too many young people have the opportunity to gain an advanced education who find that they really are not interested in advanced education. They are interested in social activities, the opposite sex, avoiding the workday world of eight to five, or they are interested in only one field of academic endeavor . . . music, literature, science, or what have you? Because of their degree of interest in one field, they neglect other studies. As a consequence, they make fine grades in one subject but poor grades in all the others.

Sometimes we find a student interested only in athletic activities. Usually this student is male, extremely certain of himself on the football field or on the basketball court, but in a academic classroom he is a bust. Frequently but fortunately only rarely, do we find the lazy student. This is the student who has the ability, the interest, and the financial wherewithal, but he doesn't

that which has passed has passed forever

have the necessary drive it takes to complete that term paper, do that extra studying an examination requires, or who thinks he can "get by" by not doing a daily assignment.

It is not unusual to find a student with a high school record which would indicate real success in college work. It is also not unusual to find this person an academic casualty at the end of the first year. Why? We cannot say for certain. Sometimes, it is only a case of the student not having learned how to say a simple "No" to social life, college activities, or part-time work. Sometimes a student sacrifices the time which should be spent on studies working a job that is necessary only to support his automobile. Automobiles, social life, activities, or laziness simply are poor substitutions for a college education. Our advice is to "get" them before they "get" you.

New found freedom, particularly the new freedom a college student finds in his personal life, is not often handled with any degree of insight. A college education is your key to a better life. For some, particularly those who find themselves members of the "casualty" group, it often brings nothing. Two out of every three freshmen matriculating at colleges all over America this fall will not complete work for a degree. A small percentage drops out because of illness; a larger percentage drops because of marriage; but by far the largest majority fail to obtain their degrees because of academic failure . . . and academic failure is traceable directly in most cases to a lack of application.

So, then, the moving finger is writing on the wall for you now. Control what is in store for you by concentrating on academic excellence. Drink deeply of the cup of knowledge; let nothing lure you from your purpose because when failure comes, it stays; not your tears, not your wit, not your "adjustment" can wash out a word or record of failure.

Failure is its own punishment. To avoid that punishment, study now . . . play later.



Our new bookstore facilities are ready for business according to Miss Marjorie Oppelt, manager. The bookstore will have both day and evening hours.

The Courier

Thornton Junior College — Harvey, Illinois

LEE E. DULGAR, DEAN

Adviser John Stanfield

Book Fair

by Jonathan fields
Title:—A Majority of Scoundrels,
An Informal History of the Rocky
Mountain Fur Company
Author: Don Berry
Publisher: Harper & Brothers, 1961

Last year each issue of the Courier carried one book review. For the most part, they were all written by a faculty member under a pen name, Jonathan Fields. This year we would like to invite students or faculty members to review the books of their choice . . . subject, of course, to editing by our staff. Simply send your review to the Courier office, or you may drop it off in our "In" basket. You must identify yourself, and the review will be printed with a byline.

If no reviews are submitted by either students or faculty members, book reviews will continue to be written by our staff writer.

When a storyteller with an all consuming interest in the past brings his historical views to the writing of history, the results are certain to be more than lively. Don Berry's A Majority of Scoundrels is like no history book you've ever read.

Perhaps it would be best to let Mr. Berry's subtitle give you just a hint . . . "An Informal History . . ." and that is just what it is. Berry's novel Trunk, published in 1950, gave an indication of promise for this new writer. A Majority of Scoundrels brings his talent to new flower.

The Rocky Mountain Fur Company grew to be the greatest name in the mountains from 1822-1834. This time era also coincided with the peak years of American fur trade. The very best of the decade years, before the eclipse of the beaver hat, when trappers and traders were reaching into the far corners of the Missouri, disputing territory with Indians and rival trappers in the Hudson's Bay Company; learning the lore of the land; perfecting their drinking bawling, yarn spinning, and boasting at the annual rendezvous.

Berry uses a mighty roll call. Jim Bridger, Hugh Glass (who miraculously survived the mauling of a bear and came back from death to haunt his fellows), champion trapper John P. Smith, Jim Meek, pious Jedediah Smith, Black Harris, Old Bill Williams, Joe Walker, Tom Fitzpatrick, and Davey Jackson (who left his name to Jackson, the city). Just a few of the colorful characters Berry uses in the pages of this lively history.

Don Berry writes with contagious spirit, obviously fascinated by his subject and his material. He draws freely on the journals and letters of these early trappers and explorers. Mr. Berry brings a vital period of the American past into focus. History buffs and the average reader will find A Majority of Scoundrels a majority of fascinations.

FOOTBALL

Thornton Junior College's Bulldogs reported on Monday, August 26, at 9:30 a.m. for football physical examinations and practice.

Saturday, September 28, Morton, at 2:00 p.m.

Thursday, October 10, Wright, at 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, October 26, Wilson (Homecoming) at 2:00 p.m.

Saturday, November 9, Grand Rapids, 2:00 p.m.

REGISTRATION

New student registration will be held on Wednesday, September 4. Final registration for students will be September 5 and 6.

The library, located on the third floor of the college building, is the center of activity for all registrants. Here you will find faculty members ready to counsel, plan, and advise new and returning students for the coming year. You will also take care of such matters as filling out informational cards, getting your parking stickers, book lists, suggested materials are supplied, and later, when you report to the business office on the first floor of the new addition of TTHS, you will take care of your fees and receive your ID card.

Nineteen Thornton JC Students Win Individual Illinois State Scholarships

Six of last year's sophomore graduates of Thornton Junior College have won Illinois State Scholarships for the coming year at various state institutions.

Winners include last year's co-editor of the Courier, Tom's bi-weekly newspaper, Miss Bonnie Baird, 17949 Chicago Avenue, Lansing; Miss Roberta A. Barker, 2262 W. 120th Place, Blue Island; Miss Susan Kay DeBoer, 16319 School Street, South Holland; Miss Orrel C. Kauffman, 2056 West 139th Street, Blue Island; Mr. David J. Keefe, 249 Krotz Road, Park Forest; and Mr. Carl K. Lindstrom, 14326 Woodlawn, Dolton.

Joseph D. Boyd, Executive Director of the Illinois State Scholarship Commission, 730 Waukegan Road, Deerfield, Illinois, has pointed out that Illinois State Scholarships may be of two types. Those students with financial need to continue their education who have outstanding academic records receive financial aid. Those students who do not win Illinois State Scholarships who do not have a need for financial aid

also can receive recognition for their outstanding academic achievement. When the scholarship announcements are made, no identification is given to the winners. In other words, no differentiation might cause embarrassment to the person of financial aid.

Illinois State Scholarship winners who will be attending Thornton Junior College this fall or who applied while attending TJC last year are: Gerald L. Crowder, 14738 Center, Harvey; Jack H. Doran, 3434 W. 218th Street, Matteson; Thomas E. Girard, 155 W. 126th Place, Chicago; Alan H. Haas, 7790 E. Lorens Avenue, Lansing; Donald R. Johnson, 14847 Minerva, Dolton; Mary A. Johnson, 14847 Minerva, Dolton; Marilyn A. Caro, 51 E. 147th Street, Harvey; Carol A. Utz, 14227 Normandy, Riverdale; Ejan M. Malkowski, 11758 Halsted, Chicago; Linda J. Novak, 12215 Stewart, Chicago; Glen J. Van Haren, 119 W. 126th Place, Chicago; James E. DeBorja, Dearborn, Riverdale; and Janice L. Yates, 14455 Peoria, Harvey.

ID. CARD

On the last stop you make during your enrollment process you will be issued an ID card. This card is most important to you now and in the future. Your ID card is numbered. This is an identification number. Your card will admit you to school functions such as football games and basketball games. It also can be used from time to time for other college activities which involve identification for admittance.

Your card is signed by Mr. L. E. Dulgar, Dean of Thornton Junior College when you receive it. You will be requested to place your signature on the card also immediately after payment of your fees. This signature must appear on the card in your own handwriting and in ink. The card is not valid for any purpose until this signature is supplied.

Officers Go To Leadership Camp

Officers of Thornton Junior College organizations will have the opportunity to attend a leadership training camp Friday evening, September 6 and Saturday, September 7.

Tentatively scheduled for Camp Hastings, a YMCA Camp, fifteen miles from Chicago, the Wisconsin state line, the meetings will be under the direction of Mr. James Aull, Mr. Byron Kee, and Miss Adelaide Childs.

Mr. Aull is a graduate student at the University of Chicago in theology. He is working with junior colleges through the auspices of the YMCA. Mr. Kee is TJC's dean of women. Miss Childs is the dean of women at TJC.

Cost of this two day meeting will run from three to six dollars. Transportation will be furnished. Organizational officers will be invited to attend. For further information see Mr. Kee or Miss Childs.

HANDBOOK

Every student enrolling for his freshman year at Thornton Junior College will receive a copy of the Thornton Junior College Handbook.

This handbook is supplied to you for a purpose. Probably the most important use to which the handbook may be put is that a guide to the college calendar, general college regulations, the schedule of class hours, the location of rooms, student elections, and college events and traditions.

The second publication of great value to the incoming student will be the Thornton Junior College Catalogue. It is not always possible for every student to have a personal copy of this publication because of the great demand for them from prospective students, however, copies are available in our library.

Activities Part Of Your Junior College Career

Activities for all students at Thornton Junior College are suggested.

Depending upon the extent and the direction in which your talents run will determine your choice of activities.

The Student Senate is the student governing body of the college. The group is also responsible for distributing the student activity fees to the various activities, of expressing the needs of the student body to the college administration, for a well balanced calendar of events, and of cooperating with the faculty and administration in every policy of advancement for the college. The Courier is Thornton Junior College's bi-weekly newspaper. You can be a member of the staff on a volunteer basis. The Caldron is our yearbook. The staff of this publication is completely volunteer. The Alliance Française is open to all students enrolled in French. It is for the purpose of promoting an active interest in French life and customs. Meetings are conducted in French.

Der Deutsche Verein was organized in the fall of 1931. The club makes a more informal study of German life, history, and art than is possible in regular classroom work.

El Circulo Espanol, the Spanish speaking students of the college, ban together in order to approach the study of the language in a more informal manner. Meetings are conducted once each month in the college meeting rooms or in the homes of members.

Lambda Epsilon, the scholastic honorary academic organization, membership is available by invitation only. Social activities as well as encouragement of academic excellence are a part of this organization's activities.

The Co-Ed Club is an organization founded to direct the social life of the women of the college and to promote a friendly spirit among them. Trips, dances, informal parties, and organizational meetings are all a part of this group's activities.

The Men's Club tries to provide a variety of activities for the men students of the college. Smokers, banquets, dances, and worthy projects are sponsored by the Men's Club.

There is also available for the Thornton Junior College student membership in the Dramatic Club, Choral Club, Interscholastic Athletic Program, and for men, inter-mural sports.

WANTED Courier and Caldron Volunteers

See Mr. Stanfield or Mr. Swanberg

Girard, Mackza Appointed Editors of Courier, Caldron

Tom Girard and Carol Mackza, sophomores, will fill the top spots in TJC publications for the coming year.

Tom will assume the responsibilities as editor of the *Courier*, while Carol directs the 1963-64 *Caldron*, the school yearbook. These announcements were made today by Mr. John Stanfield, *Courier* adviser and Mr. Roy Swanberg, adviser of the *Caldron*.

Neither Tom nor Carol has much experience in the area of publication. As a senior at St. Willibrod High School, Tom was an active member of the yearbook staff. He has also been an employee of the *Cahmet Index* newspaper for three years. While attending Thornton Township High School, Carol worked on the school newspaper. Last year she studied journalism at TJC and was a reporter for the *Courier*.

Many volunteers are needed to help out in publishing the *Caldron*. There is a job for any student willing to give his support to make the 1963-64 *Caldron* the best yearbook ever.

800 Enroll in Evening School

Latest count for the Thornton Evening School Adult Education, which began on September 16, shows the enrollment to number 800 students.

Arthur J. Stejskal, director of the adult education classes, estimated that the completed enrollment figures should go to 2500.

In keeping with the growing needs of the community, the adult education program, under the sponsorship of Thornton Township High School and Junior College, offers approximately 150 courses. Among the courses offered are high school courses, courses in industrial, technical, and supervisory training, and junior college courses.

Mr. Stejskal pointed out that the Northern Illinois University at DeKalb offers college credit extension courses in the evening program. Credit for these courses will be given from N.I.U.

First semester will consist of a six-week duration ending on January 23, 1964.

Registration for the second semester classes will be January 27-30.

Y'All Come to Surfin'-Hootenanny

Come one! Come all! Come to the Surfin'-Hootenanny! For the past two weeks, posters have been proclaiming the beginning of the social season at TJC. On one occasion a group of islanders invaded the auditorium and interrupted an address by Dean Dulgar to inform the student body that the Hootenanny will get off to a swinging start tomorrow night, September 21. The fun will begin at 8 p.m. on the tennis courts next to Buda gym.



These students are shown making some of the preparations for the Surfin'-Hootenanny. Their hopes are high that everyone will attend to make it a success.

Drama Society's Plans Underway For "The Circle"

Mr. Howard Heise, TJC drama coach, has announced the TJC Drama Society has already laid plans for the first of its semi-annual productions. The play will be the delightful comedy, *The Circle*, by W. Somerset Maugham. Acting and technical positions are still open. Students may join the TJC Drama Society at any time.

Mr. Heise stated that he is interested in allowing as many students as are interested in any aspect of the theatre to join the Drama Society. For those especially interested in directing, Mr. Heise plans to conduct a director's seminar on an informal basis for one hour each week. Anyone participating in this seminar will have the opportunity to direct at least one act play.

Mr. Heise mentioned several other activities in addition to the major productions which appear on the agenda of the Drama Society. There will be at least two evenings devoted to student produced, one-act plays. The Society plans to attend several plays, both professional and amateur, during the season.

Furthermore, any student who desires to write one or two act dramas for possible production may submit scripts for examination at any time. Mr. Heise is available between 8:00-9:15 a.m. in the theatre workshop, or between 3:20-3:35 in Room 100.

Mr. Heise said, "I would like to see anyone with any theatrical interests to discuss aims, possible positions in the Drama Society, and their future potentialities." He also said that no histrionic background is necessary.

It's "mug shot" time again! We want every sophomore's picture in this year's *Caldron*. Pictures begin on Monday, September 23, at the Randall Studio, 124 East 154th Street, Harvey.

The appointment schedule may be found on the third floor corridor bulletin board. Each sophomore must sign up for a time most convenient.

TEA FOR TWO + 98

100 Freshman Girls Are Co-ed Sorority Members



After an initiation on Monday, about one hundred freshman girls, dressed in Sunday best, assembled in the library last Tuesday for their installation into one of the eight sororities of the Co-ed Club.

Miss Adelaide Childs, Dean of Women and Co-ed Club sponsor, and Gail Dunker, president, gave welcoming speeches at this candle-light service. A receiving line was formed to greet the new members before the Little Sister Tea began.

"The initiation ceremonies and the Little Sister Tea are traditional, but they were designed also to interest the freshman girls in the Co-ed Club so that they can have

fun while working during the year," stated Nancy Garrison, vice president and chairman for the two events.

To become a member, a freshman girl had to sign her name to a large "tea pot" in the Co-ed Room and participate in the initiation. At the installation her name and sorority were picked from a loving cup.

All freshmen girls interested in joining the Co-ed Club were supposed to wear a skirt of their fathers, a tie, a swimming cap, one knee sock, and one anklet. They were supposed to carry a shopping bag from a supermarket filled with enough apples for every one of her teachers.

Each time a sophomore girl passed, the freshman girl hopped. If any girl failed her initiation, she was to be "helped" by her sophomore sister.

The new members joined one of the eight sororities, paying \$150 per year for dues. The 63-64 sororities and leaders are: Alpha, Pat Christ; Beta, Marilyn Lau; Gamma, Mildred Vetterick; Delta, Mary Zuber; Epsilon, Jan DeYoung; Zeta, Terry Quirk; Kappa, Ish Lochenhofer; and Eta, Judy Krause. All leaders are sophomores.

This year's Co-ed Club officers include: Gail Dunker, president; Nancy Garrison, vice president; Donna Salvage, secretary; and Sharon Prince, treasurer. All officers are sophomores.

Cafeteria Construction To End in October

The cafeteria will open soon, and according to J. A. Peterson, business manager for Thornton Township District 205, "The total cost of construction will be, in round figures, \$850,000."

Consequently, those status seekers among us will now have a chance to eat in a most expensive place every day.

"The remodelled cafeteria will seat nearly 1,000 students," said Mr. Peterson, "an increase of over 200 students."

The cafeteria's construction will be completed in early October, about the time bids for the erection of the new field house and indoor track will be taken. Actual building of the field house and track will be located in the area of the old Buda, which will be torn down.

In co-operation with the expansion program, 140th street will be closed between Center avenue and Broadway, to accommodate the new football field.

NOTICE

The Union Room snack bar with its new serving counter has been opened by the Co-ed Club. Students will be able to get sweet rolls, sandwiches, candy, cold drinks, and coffee from 8:00 a.m. until 2:30 p.m.

You can eat your snacks to the accompaniment of a recording by the "Hootenanny Singers." This is their own version of the general assembly on September 9.

The entertainment will be provided by the "Road-Runners," a local group, with our own Ken Bailey at the console of his mighty Hammond Wuritzer, which has just recently been converted into a guitar. They will be playing such popular polynesian folk songs as the "Roadrunner Twist," the "Roadrunner Cha Cha Cha," and their own version of the "Roadrunner Monster Mash." Exotic refreshments will be served at the Coconut Cove, a Polynesian mansion which has just recently been converted into a south sea soda fountain. The Coconut Cove will be located at the Park Avenue end of the tennis courts.

A tremendous amount of time and effort has been devoted to making the "Surfin'-Hootenanny" one of the most outstanding social events of the year, and a hearty vote of appreciation is in order to the Student Senate for making this event possible. Members of the committee who have worked so diligently to make the hootenanny one of the highlights of the year also deserve student body kudos.

All members of the student body are cordially invited to attend. A special invitation is extended to all freshmen and to any other students who will be attending TJC for the first time this fall.

Dress will be informal, and "stags" are most welcome. If you have a date, however, you are both welcome. We want to meet both of you!

Providing some type of musical entertainment for TJC students using the Student Union has always been a part of the desire of the administration and the faculty. Music, when it can be heard without the benefit of static, blips, rolls, roars, and noises not heard since sound was first transmitted over the airways, is enjoyable.

music or noise in union room?

Our suggestion to those responsible for tuning in the radio stations, whether they be AM or FM, make certain the radio is tuned. Nothing is so upsetting to those enjoying a cigarette or that morning cup of "eye-opener" than poor reception of the musical programs heard over our high fidelity system.

Can't something be done?

For those of us who drive to classes each day, there are certain advantages. We don't have to wait on a corner; we don't have to depend upon the wiles of some un dependable car pool; we don't have to meet an aggravating train schedule. The real problem in driving to classes at Thornton Junior College is trying to solve what to do with the car after we get there.

Parking is a problem.

Every effort has been made by the administration to provide adequate parking space for student and faculty drivers at TJC. It is our opinion that the real cause of the problem is the drivers themselves. Sloppy parking by many is the reason that other drivers have to park several blocks away from the college buildings. Student parking lots seem to be a bit better organized than

problems of parking at TJC

those devoted to faculty parking.

The faculty parking lot directly northwest of the gymnasium seems to be in the poorest condition. Individual cars take up more than one space; some persons are inconsiderate enough to block the through driveway which prevents an exit from the lot and some athletic equipment is stored in such a manner as to prevent any person from parking a car in a given space.

Let us repeat. The administration has provided parking areas. It is up to us, faculty and student alike, to use them to their best advantage. Won't you try a little harder to make it easier for the next fellow?

Library facilities at TJC have long provided the best available in educational and literary material for all students. However, each year the library loses numerous resources because students inadvertently, or purposely, fail to check out books in the proper manner. This negligence is unnecessary since handbooks were available to all at registration. The handbook gives information as to the location of books, kinds that must remain in the library, and procedures to follow.

low in taking books for outside use. Therefore, before using the library, we urge every student to read his library handbook to acquaint himself with the checkout system.

Everyone's cooperation is needed to maintain the complete assets of the library so that all students will be able to obtain any book in the card catalogue.

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Thornton Junior College — Harvey, Illinois

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Book Fair

By Francis J. Kelly

This latest work of Dr. James B. Conant, a leading American educator and former president of Harvard University, is another significant contribution in his prolific career. In "The Education of American Teachers," he reports on a two year survey of the education of elementary and secondary school teachers in the United States.

His prime point of discussion is that American laymen, including those directly and indirectly involved with educational administration, should be critical of the education of the teachers in their school systems but that this criticism should be constructively informed, not destructive. Employing statistics and a good deal of practically accumulated knowledge, Dr. Conant analyzes the present controversy over teacher preparation and concludes that they are not receiving a sufficient academic education. The reason for this apparent impasse he believes to be the fact that they take too many required, professional courses in education and are allowed too much elective freedom. He feels, however, that the situation can be remedied by restricting the number of undergraduate education courses and elective courses. Although he would retain such courses as general psychology, education, and practice teaching, he would return courses not directly applying to "methods" to their proper departmental category. Furthermore, teachers, according to Dr. Conant, should be certified only after broad academic training for which the respective colleges would vouch, plus fulfillment of certain standard education requirements, rather than after a formal "point completion system."

Dr. Conant has also proposed detailed college programs for elementary and high school teachers on almost every subject. He suggests that physical education teachers have their requirements broadened because so many of these become school administrators.

He asks that every effort be made to induce the top thirty percent of high school graduates to enter the teaching profession, and he makes several suggestions for increasing the profession's financial allure. Naturally, the reason that professional motivation is not purely financial, but benefits of the type described might not only be materially persuasive but could also enhance the "image" of role of the American teacher.

No one who is interested in the future of education should ignore this book.

Single Convocation Offers Twosome, Doraine and Ellis

For the second time in Thornton Junior College's history, Doraine and Ellis have brought the splendor and grace of the Broadway musical stage to TJC students in their performance, "A Costumed Cavalcade of Broadway's Greatest Musical Hits" today.

Doraine and Ellis contend that the great dramatic producers have created a definite musical art form with musical comedies. With their interpretations, the show was so beautifully paced and expertly woven that the entire musical production came to life. It would be hard to say the show had a high point; the entire production was a climax.

The program was one of the most unusual pop-ups ever available anywhere. Doraine and Ellis are accomplished performers. Their show here today proved it. Not once did the pace, tempo, or continuity of the production lag.

Interpersing their solo ensembles with short talks on each musical play they were performing, Doraine and Ellis created a unique and entertaining production. Costuming was lavish, skillfully executed and contributed brilliantly to the audiences' enjoyment.

Orrel Kauffman Awarded Women's Club Scholarship



Mr. Peter Schloss, left, presents Miss Kauffman a scholarship grant sponsored by the Harvey Junior Women's Club. The scholarship is intended to further Miss Kauffman toward her aim as an English teacher.

Miss Orrel Kauffman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kendall Kauffman, 2056 W. 139th Street, has received a one hundred dollar scholarship from the Harvey Junior Women's Club to continue her educational training.

De Boa Come Wit De Banana Boat

A scene similar to one found in "Cleopatra" was enacted at Wally's Super Market. One of the actors was a snake; the other a TJC freshman, Mike Wilkinson.

While preparing bananas for unpacking, the produce manager was startled to find the snake lurking beneath the last bunch of bananas. It struck at him, but it did not break through the skin. Mike Wilkinson captured the snake and brought it to Mr. D. B. O'Brien, science teacher at TTHS, for identification. It was found to be a box constrictor measuring two feet in length.

When bunches of bananas are shipped, there is often room for snakes, lizards, or spiders to conceal themselves as "stowaways." Thus, quite a few are able to reach the United States.

The largest box constrictors of this species reach an average length of from six to nine feet. The greatest reported length is fourteen feet. This non-poisonous snake is found on the coasts of Mexico, tropical South America, Paraguay, Argentina, and in Harvey, Illinois.

CHOIR DIRECTOR FACES LACK OF MEMBERS

One of the most challenging duties facing any of the new teachers at Thornton Junior College this fall is on the shoulders of Mr. Kent Newbury, director of the TJC Concert Choir.

The lack of membership is the main problem facing the new teacher who is a composer as well. Mr. Newbury is participating in the choir this fall and many more are needed.

"With more than 700 students attending TJC I don't see why we didn't have at least 150-200 tryouts," Newbury said. "I feel the enthusiasm will increase as the school gains in the outstanding tradition for which this school is known."

Thornton is well known for its outstanding academic and athletic achievements since it became a sponsor of the junior college system, and I feel the choir will strengthen it more."

Mr. Newbury is an instructor of music at both Thornton Township High School and junior college.

Before coming to TJC, he was a music teacher-director at Harrison Tech High School in Chicago for ten years. He directed the "treble girls' choir which gained 'superior' in state contests four ten straight years."

Perhaps most interesting about Mr. Newbury is his conducting of a sacred choral music. He has eight pieces published since 1965 and three more selections will be released soon.

One of the best known is the "Psalm 150" which he arranged for female, male or mixed choirs. Mr. Newbury directed a 50-voice chorus in McCormick Place in 1962 as they sang some of his compositions, "The Beatitudes."

Many of his compositions will be sung during the year by the junior college choir. Currently the choir is preparing a symphonic arrangement to "Job's Ladder."

Mr. Newbury and his wife, Gail, became the proud parents of a little girl, Kimberly Anne, this past summer. Mrs. Newbury assists Mr. Newbury at the piano and organ in performances.

NEWMAN CLUB MEETING SET

The Newman Club of Thornton Junior College will hold its first meeting of the school year on September 23, 1968.

Look for posters announcing the time and place.

The newly-elected officers: Marilyn Harper, president; Dan Foster, vice president; Marilyn Lau, recording secretary; Karen Callahan, corresponding secretary; and Mary Ann Johnson, treasurer, and also the moderators, Mr. Peter Schloss and Peter Schloss, will be on hand to welcome all new and old members.

The Newman Club extends a personal invitation to all new students to come out for a lively evening of discussion, dancing, and refreshments.

Mr. Parmer O. Reed Now Teaching For TJC Science Department



PARMER O. REED

(Thornton Junior College welcomed five full time and four part time instructors to its academic staff this fall. In this issue and in future editions of the Courier the new instructors will be introduced to the student body.)

Mr. Parmer O. Reed has completed 23 years of teaching, counseling and administrative experience to Thornton Junior College. He is one of three new instructors in the TJC Science Department and will teach classes in zoology during the first semester and botany the second semester.

Before coming to TJC, Mr. Reed taught at two high schools and served in the Armed Forces. He began his teaching career at Ramsey High School in Ramsey, Illinois. After six years at Ramsey, he enlisted and served four years in the United States Army.

In 1945, he continued his teaching at Morris Community High School in Morris, Illinois. Mr. Reed instructed 17 years at Morris as a teacher, assistant principal and counselor before he came to Thornton this fall.

Mr. Reed received his B.A. from Eastern Illinois University in Charleston, Illinois, and his M.A. at the University of Illinois, Champaign-Urbana, Illinois. He has taken additional advanced work at the University of Illinois in administration.

He resides in Morris, Illinois, with his wife, Lillie. They have no children.

Mr. Reed views the Junior College program optimistically. "The Junior College program makes the step of adjustment on the part of the student much easier," he said. "I feel the program provides a well-balanced curriculum to properly prepare a student who plans to continue his education after graduation from the two-year institution."

With 23 years of teaching experience, Mr. Reed has seen many students make or fail the grade. He finds it one of the greatest satisfactions of teaching when a student completes his college education and thus is properly prepared for the future.

He summed up his thoughts when he said, "Doctors and undertakers bury their monuments, but a teacher has a lot of living monuments in which he places an important part in accomplishing goals."

TWO MUSTS!

Come To
Surfin'-Hootenanny
and
Back Your
Bulldogs

Student Senate Board Petitions Are Now Available in Room C-1 of Annex C

Petitions are now available for positions on the TJC Student Senate, the Election Commission announced recently. Freshmen students who would like to run for frosh president, secretary-treasurer or a board member may now take out a petition in room C-1 of Annex C. There are also petitions available for one position on the sophomore board of the Student Senate.

Petitions with 25 signatures must be returned to room C-1 by 3:30 p.m. Wednesday, September 25. Only freshmen are allowed to sign petitions for the freshmen offices and likewise only sophomores for the sophomore offices.

STAAH HOLDS HOME MEETING THIS EVENING

Tonight, September 20th at 7:30 the second meeting of TJC's Inter-Varsity Club will be held at the home of Bill Stast, sophomore, 16534 Paulina, Harvey.

Inter-Varsity made its debut at Thornton Junior College at the end of the fall semester last year. Chapters of Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship, an interdenominational student organization, are located on college and university campuses all over the world.

The first meeting of the year was conducted by the new officers, Tim Osterlund, sophomore, Inter-Varsity Club president; Bibb Stast, sophomore, Bible Study and Prayer chairman; Judy Peerbolt, sophomore, secretary; Don Richardson, sophomore, program chairman; and Mel Cowser, sophomore, social chairman. Twenty-five students attended and enjoyed refreshments and fellowship after viewing the color film "Symphony of Life".

One of the objectives of Inter-Varsity is to help students to find the answer to some of the questions we all have about purpose in living. Students interested in learning more about the spiritual aspect of life are welcome to attend the meeting tonight.

Antonioli's The Eclipse' Wins Venice Film Festival Award

By Merton

One of the most poignant and evocative foreign film productions to be shown in American theaters is *Michelangelo Antonioni's "The Eclipse"*. Winner of the Venice Festival Award, *L'Eclipse* (The Eclipse), featuring his most successful protegee, Monica Vitti. The plot concerns a pathetically neurotic young woman, a Vitti specialty—set in the background of the bustling financial world of modern day Rome. To lend impetus to her condition, her dialogue is frequently interrupted with nebulous answers and withdrawals. She answers a line of questions about her future, her desires, and her nervous sexual condition with a simple but unrepeatable, "I don't know." Her mother exacerbates this condition by displaying more interest in the stock market fluctuations than the thinning hair of Miss Vitti, after an unsuccessful love affair. A stock market crash abruptly confuses the already chaotic status quo and sets the scene for an aesthetically charming dalliance which puts despondent Miss Vitti on a case of her mother's rakish stock broker. The scene is portrayed at length to point up the seemingly different reasons motivating their actions. The stock broker is becoming enchanted with this lovely but unhappy woman, and "sees the light" beyond the pragmatic world of finance and business which he had been unknown to him. On the other hand, Miss Vitti merely feels that this is another experience which will neither lend meaning to her life nor will help her to find such meaning. It makes her feel that she is just another interlude in the pattern of profligacy, and that

sign the petition for their respective class position.

A student may sign one petition for each office but cannot sign two petitions for the same office.

The primary election to narrow the field will be held Tuesday and Thursday, October 1 and 3 from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. in the Annex C lounge.

All students must be registered with the Election Commission in order to vote. Registration of all voters took place at the start of the school year.

Also at the primary election, nominations will be accepted for the 1953 Homecoming Court. No

National Defense Education Act Could Benefit All TJC Students

Thornton Junior College students with financial problems should become familiar with the National Defense Education Act signed into law five years ago. This law offers college students an opportunity to continue their education with the help of the federal government.

Since the signing of the law, some \$800 million have been paid out under the act to strengthen American education at all levels and to supply the nation with highly trained manpower, particularly in fields directly related to national security.

Circle K Club New TJC Activity

With the beginning of a new academic year, we of the Courier staff would like to escort you, as members of our college life, on a grand tour of the extra-curricular activities here at Thornton Junior College.

First stop on your agenda, is the CIRCLE K. The newest club at the college, it represents our segment of the famed Kiwanis International. Specifically designed to be of service to the college, its direction is under the skilled hands of Neal Franklin, sophomore, at the helm with Mr. Milton Gilmore, chemistry instructor, as advisor. Jim Massick, Mike Jerding, and Sam Belmont, all sophomores are

vice-president, secretary, and treasurer respectively. Dan Fox, Tom Girard, and Norm Warrs, all sophomores, represent the all important board members.

The club is young and ambitious. With strong leadership and youthful zeal, they have high expectations and plans for advancement and service.

Further information is available from the U.S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

LOVELY CO-ED SELECTED AS MISS SEVENTEEN

Mary Ellen Haney, freshman, reigns as Miss Seventeen.

Miss Mary Ellen Haney, a freshman at TJC, has been selected Miss Seventeen for 1963. Mary was selected from a field of ten lovelies to represent Seventeen Beauty Work Shops as Miss Seventeen 1963. The contest was held July 27th at the South Suburban Bridge Center in Dolton. Mary received her first experience as a model in a high school fashion show. During the past summer she has been modeling for the Lillian dress shop in Harvey.

Mary is a graduate of Mother of Sorrows High School and after graduation from TJC, she hopes to transfer to Loyola University or St. Mary's Academy to study elementary education.



Mary Ellen Haney, freshman, reigns as Miss Seventeen.

When we asked Mary if she intended to make modeling her profession, she replied that modeling was more of a hobby, and that she intends to become a teacher.

There are approximately two hundred students abroad from two to twelve months' duration ranging from factory, farm, and construction work, to camp counseling, child and hospital care, teaching, modeling and hotel, resort, and restaurants each year. The average wage exceeded \$120 a month, but remained under \$200. Some jobs included meals and others included both room and board. Although those participating in this program vary between sixteen and thirty years of age, the overseas group is comprised primarily of students. Mr. Gordon says that only five hundred students will be accepted for 1964 summer jobs abroad. These will be selected on a basis of ability and early application.

Thornton Junior College students and faculty members interested in such a summer program are urged to contact the International Student Travel Center, 30 Cortland Street, New York 7, N.Y.

IIT Foreign Film Festival Offers Generous Variety

Thornton Junior College Students have an opportunity to attend a series of seventeen foreign films at the Illinois Institute of Technology this year. The films, which started on September 15, will be shown on Sunday evenings at 8:00 p.m. in the Hermann Union Building, 33rd and Dearborn. Simple admission will be 75 cents. The schedule is as follows:

- Sept. 22 "La Dolce Vita" (1961), Italy, Directed by Federico Fellini
- Sept. 29 "The Birth of a Nation" (1915), US, Directed by D. W. Griffith
- Oct. 6 "Devi" (1961), India, First Chicago Showing, Directed by Satyajit Ray
- Oct. 13 "Aparajito" (1957), India, Directed by Satyajit Ray
- Oct. 20 "The God of Apu" (1959), India, Directed by Satyajit Ray
- Oct. 27 "Ten Days that Shook the World" (1928), USSR, Directed by Sergei Eisenstein
- Nov. 3 "Orpheus" (1950), France, Directed by Jean Cocteau
- Nov. 10 "Eisenstein" (1953), Japan, Directed by Kenji Mizoguchi
- Nov. 17 "Last Year at Marienbad" (1961), France, Directed by Alain Resnais
- Nov. 24 "Leaves from Satan's Book" (1921), Denmark, Directed by Carl Dreyer
- Dec. 1 "Drunkard's Dream" ('48), Japan, Directed by Akira Kurosawa
- Dec. 8 "The Blue Angel" (1930), Germany, Directed by Josef von Sternberg
- Dec. 15 "Alexander Nevsky" (1938), USSR, Directed by Sergei Eisenstein
- *Jan. 5 "The Last Laugh" (1924), Germany, Directed by F. W. Murnau
- Jan. 12 "The White Sheik" (1956), Italy, Directed by Federico Fellini
- Jan. 19 "Port of Shadows" (1938), France, Directed by Marcel Carné

*Admission is by subscription only. Four films for \$1.50. Reduced rates are also available for student admissions:
4 admissions \$2.50
8 admissions \$5.00
13 admissions \$7.50
25 admissions \$15.00

College Students Are Most Important to ISTC

"College students" said, Frank Gordon, Director of the International Student Travel Center of New York, "are responsible for much of the great success of the ISTC overseas summer job program."

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Battle Wilson To Scoreless Tie

Generosity is usually a commendable trait of character except when a football team becomes good-hearted and gives away a game.

Such was the case yesterday at Eckersall Field in Chicago when Thornton Junior College let Wilson JC hold the Bulldogs to a scoreless tie.

The Bulldogs' generosity was beyond reproach as mistakes and fumbles ruined any drive that Thornton could muster.

For instance, in the first quarter as Wilson stalled on their own 34-yard line, a bad pass from center gave TJC the football on Wilson's nine yard line. It only took four plays, however, to lose the ball and the scoring opportunity.

This was the best chance Thornton was to have all day as Pete Schloss' charges got no farther than the 24-yard line where the Bulldogs were when the game ended.

The best chance Wilson got to score came with four minutes remaining in the game as the Chil-

cago boys pushed their way to the Thornton 29-yard stripe before relinquishing the pigskin.

The bright spots among the inexperienced Bulldogs were sophomore end, Morris Johnson, and freshman linebacker, Ron Pacys, who blocked two Wilson punts.

Danny Fox, TJC's sophomore quarterback, completed six out of 13 passes with four coming near the end of the game.

In all, Thornton fumbled eight times and lost possession of the ball on six occasions. Wilson fumbled the pigskin only three times.

Final Eliminations Being Held For Prospective Cheerleaders

Final eliminations for the spots remaining on the TJC cheerleading squad will be held this week. The job of choosing three replacements for the team is left to the three returning cheerleaders. They are Kathy Hager, Capt. Nancy Schleuter, and Marilyn Lau, all sophomores. There are eleven girls from which they must choose.

The cheerleaders have more responsibility than just to cheer at games. They plan everything for

the Homecoming game, such as the Dad's day activities in which the fathers of the cheerleaders and football players are introduced. They also prepare posters and make banners to advertise football and basketball games. Much of the busy work of the letterman club is managed by them. With all these responsibilities they need and deserve help from the student body. Let's get behind them and make our school activities a real success.

1963 Football Schedule

- *September 28, 2 p.m., Morton
- October 5, 10 a.m., Wheaton
- *October 10, 7:30 p.m., Wright
- October 19, 1:30 p.m., Joliet
- *October 26, 2 p.m., Wilson (Homecoming)
- November 1, 3:30 p.m., Morton
- *November 9, 2 p.m., Grand Rapids
- *Home Games

FORE!

Coach Bob Anderson and his golfers will start the season against Morton and Wright at Morton, Tuesday, Sept. 24.

So far the TJC golf team consists of Ron Czapke, Ray Czapke, Bill Wojtanowski, Dennis Sweeney, and Jim Messick.

Coach Anderson invites any other interested golfers to see him in room 254-A any school morning.

Bulldogs No Longer Passive Pushovers In JC Athletics

By Mike Jerding

Students now enrolled at Thornton JC may not realize it, but they are witnessing a new era in TJC sports. The days of the hum-drum or drastically poor Bulldog team that has been the target of many snide remarks are gone. Instead, a team that sports the hues of orange and black can now expect respect from all its opponents.

The transition started with the 1962-63 basketball squad. Football had just finished a fairly good season, always par with the hum-drum when basketball appeared on the scene. A young, new coach, Don Williams, recruited some of the finest hard-court prospects in the area and came up with a group of men that had a potential national championship. The team finished in second place in the junior conference and whipped the nation's number one scoring machine, Centralia, in the tournament, but a 25-3 won-loss record in a sport that had, heretofore, been considered minor was indeed an achievement.

Baseball followed basketball with even greater glory for TJC. A junior college championship and a trip to Grand Junction, Colorado, for the national finals were the awards of a successful season. Winning one out of three games at Colorado, the Bulldogs placed fifth in the nation.

Although we realize this is another year, the precedent has been set by last year's teams. Increasing success in athletics at Thornton is drawing larger groups of spectators; therefore, we are gaining greater recognition for our college.

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Group of Potential Student Leaders Attend Camp Hastings Conference

Twenty-two potential student leaders and five faculty members spent their last weekend before classes at a leadership training workshop. The workshop met at Camp Hastings, Antioch, Illinois, on Friday evening, September 6 and Saturday, September 7.

The conference was under the guidance of YMCA workers Mr. Jim Aull, Mr. James Shultz, and Mr. Farley Maxwell. Mr. Aull is a full time employee of the Harvey YMCA and intends to spend one half of his time working with Thornton Junior College students. The other two men work part time for the YMCA. All three are graduate students at the Chicago Theological Seminary.

Co-sponsored by the Harvey YMCA and Thornton Junior College, the workshop's purpose was to define the necessary qualities a leader should possess for those who will lead TJC activities this year.

Faculty representatives attending included: Mr. Byron Kee, Dean of Men; Miss Adelaide Childs, Dean of Women; Mr. Ray Sherman, business instructor; Mrs. Ray Sherman, school nurse; and Mr. Milton Gilmore, chemistry instructor.

Students present were: Diane Buer, Sam Delmonico, Karen Callanan, Lynn Colombo, Gail Dunker, Neal Franklin, Tom Girard, Kathy Hagen, Mike Jerding, Dennis Johnson, Dennis Kunka, Carol Macka, Wayne Marley, Sharon Prince, Terry Quirk, Nancy Schleuter, Carole Stark, Millie Vetterick, and Norm Warns, all sophomores; and Tom Kelly and Arnie Zweifel, freshmen.

Members of the group left after class enrollment Friday for Camp Hastings. After arriving at 6:00 p.m., everyone ate dinner and began orientation. A panel consisting

of Gail Dunker, Karen Callanan, Neal Franklin, and Wayne Marley discussed the place and problems of extra-curricular organizations. Then buzz groups of five students exchanged opinions on the subject.

Next followed a practice session demonstrating the roles each of us play in groups. Some of those displayed were: the aggressor, recognition-seeker, opinion-giver, and information-seeker.

On Saturday morning, Mr. Kee and Miss Childs gave speeches on the role of the leader in school. Students again split into small groups to discuss ideas on their responsibilities as leaders at TJC.

A talk-back summarized the opinions of everyone. These were used as a basis for another practice session involving a fictitious situation.

Most of Saturday afternoon was devoted to recreation. Swimming, boating, basketball, and baseball were predominate. However, two trampolines got quite a "bouncing over".

A summation of the conference's work by Jim Shultz immediately preceded the departure from camp. As the students left Camp Hastings, there was real enthusiasm to bring back the qualities learned about good leadership to the halls of TJC.

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DOLTON, ILLINOIS



Members of the TJC Drama Society, from left to right, Mr. Howard Heise, sponsor, Jim Harrop, Sandi Strattman, Jerry Miller, Dan Plucinski, and Karen Sanford, make preparations for production "The Circle" by Somerset Maugham.

Top Spots in "Circle" Filled

James Harrop, freshman, Sandi Strattman, Dan Plucinski, Jerry Miller and Karen Sanford, all sophomores, were major roles in the TJC Drama Society's first production of the year, "The Circle," by Somerset Maugham.

Mr. Howard Heise, director, announced that James Harrop will be cast in the leading role as Clive Champion. Co-starring as Lady Catherine will be Sandi Strattman, with Dan Plucinski as Lord Porteous; Jerry Miller will be cast as Arnold Champion-Chaney; Karen Sanford will take the part of Arnold's wife, Elizabeth, and

Carol Vander Woude will portray Ann Shenstone.

The story concerns the triangle of Clive Champion-Chaney, his wife, Lady Catherine, and her lover, Lord Porteous, with whom she absconds, leaving the care of their son, Arnold, to the indefatigable Clive.

The comic situation arises after Arnold weds the charming Elizabeth and takes up residence at Aston-Adey, the family estate, for Lady Catherine and Lord Porteous return to England and visit Adrian College last year; and Miss Mary Sullivan, who served as an associate director of the annual senior talent program at Thorndike High, will be the secretary-treasurer.

in love with Elizabeth. She, in turn, reciprocates by running off with him, thus completing "the circle." The result is a delightfully hilarious spectacle, rich in wit, humor, and conflict. It is scheduled to be presented on the evenings of November 8 and 9.

Karen Sanford, former president of the Drama club at Thornton High School, has been elected TJC's Drama Society president; the vice-president will be Miss Sandi Strattman, who acted in and directed several productions at Adrian College last year; and Miss Mary Sullivan, who served as an associate director of the annual senior talent program at Thorndike High, will be the secretary-treasurer.

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Beauty Contest In Midlothian

If the dream of being Miss America has ever caused a flutter in the heart of any TJC coed, the opportunity to make that dream a reality will be available in Midlothian on October 19.

The Miss Midlothian Pageant, an official Miss America Pageant, may open the door to fame and fortune for any qualified girl between the ages of 17 and 27. Official entry blanks are available in the Courier office.

The winner will receive a \$200 cash prize plus sponsorship at the Miss Illinois Pageant to be held in Aurora next year. The winner of the Miss Illinois crown will compete at Atlantic City, New Jersey, for the Miss America title.

The Miss Midlothian Pageant will be held in the Bremen High School auditorium on October 19 at 8:00 p.m.

The Miss Midlothian Pageant is sponsored by the Midlothian Junior Chamber of Commerce and is under the direction of Mr. John C. LoCasio, 16100 Circle Drive, Markham, Illinois.

Elect Homecoming Court Finalists, Final Election To Be Next Week

Here's the 1963 Homecoming court! Girls elected are Gail Dunker, Kathy Hagen, Mary Ann Johnson, Marilyn Lau and Nancy Schlueter. Boys are Sam Belmonti, Dan Fox, Neal Massick.

Final candidates for sophomore president are Dan Fox and Neal Franklin. Official results are posted around school.

There was opposition in only one race of the eight positions to be filled. In four positions only one candidate was running for an office while in the other three there were no candidates.

The only race is for sophomore class president. On the primary ballot were Sam Belmonti, Daniel Fox and Neal Franklin.

The lone candidate for sophomore class secretary-treasurer is Mary Ann Johnson.

In the freshman class president and vice-president races no petitions were taken out while Janice Weeden is the lone candidate for freshman secretary-treasurer.

Cherie Sauerbier is the lone candidate for the sophomore student senate member while there are no candidates for freshman Student Senate board or freshman Men's Club board.

The final balloting will be held next Tuesday and Thursday in Annex C room 1 from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Only registered voters may vote in the elections.

Frosh Conferences Scheduled This Week

Freshman conferences are scheduled to begin this week. These conferences, held by the Dean of Women and the Dean of Men with all students new to TJC, are short interviews arranged for the purpose of acquainting the students with their deans.

Miss Adelaide Childs, Dean of Women, will notify the women through their instructors as to when their conferences are scheduled. She hopes to spend 10-15 minutes with each of the new women individually.

Mr. Byron Kee, Dean of Men, hopes to meet with the men in small groups of five or six each. This will enable him to meet each of the new men within about two months.

The deans both hope that these conferences will establish a more personal relationship between counselors and each of the students.

Freshman class members outnumbered sophomore students in both high honors and honors during the spring semester of 1963. The list, recently released by the Thornton Junior College, names 13 freshmen and 12 sophomores to high honors and 29 freshmen and 19 sophomores to honors.

To be eligible for high honors, a freshman must have at least a 3.5 average out of a possible 4.0; a sophomore must have at least a 2.5 out of a possible 4.0. A 3.0 to 3.49 is needed by a freshman and a 2.0 to 2.499 is required for a sophomore to make honors. Both high honors and honors require an academic load of at least 12 hours.

Freshman High

Freshman high honors are: Robert Bender, Riverdale; Patricia Doherty, Blue Island, Edward Dzakowie, Harvey; Joy Feaser, South Holland; Thomas Girard, Chicago; Alan Haan, Lansing; David Keefe, Matteson; Eleanor Klumek, Harvey; Allan Knudsen, South Holland; Patricia McCauley, South Holland; Nancy Pavlas, Riverdale; Lorna Propps, Dolton; Peter Wasilkoff, Harvey.

Sophomore high honors went to Kay Barnhill, Harvey; Susan DeBoer, South Holland; W. J. Devers, Harvey; Roy Jensen, Riverdale; Orrel Kaufman, Blue Island; Judith Lambert, Harvey;

Dieter Meister, Dolton; Lorraine Moore, Markham; Linda Novak, Chicago; Frank Nuessell, Chicago; Florence Oedzes, Chicago; Charlotte Viter, Thornton.

Freshman Honors

The freshmen on honors are: Paul Anderson, Riverdale; Mary Brainerd, Markham; Barbara Carlson, Harvey; Oliver Dickert, Palos Park; Jack Dorn, Matteson; George England, South Holland; Dennis Erickson, Monee; Neal Franklin, Dolton; Donna Hallett, Blue Island; Mary Johnson, Dolton; Elaine Kavalanas, Harvey; James Keefe, Midlothian; Gerald Kernagis, Harvey; Carl Maczka, Riverdale; Jean Malkowski, Chicago; James Massick, Harvey; Jeanne Nelson, Chicago; Thomas Nordbrock, Homewood; Ed Oliver, Phoenix; Gerald Paulson, Homewood; George Pawlowski, Chicago; Roy Powers, Palos Heights; Sharon Prince, Calumet City; James Reed, Palos Heights; Vicki VanEck, Dolton; Robert Van Kalker, South Holland; Janice Yates, Harvey; William Zimmerman, Dolton; Mary Zuber, Crestwood.

The sophomore honors were carried by: Bonnie Baird, Lansing; James Carter, Harvey; Cheryl Dado, Harvey; Noreen Deal, Riverdale; Gail Evans, Riverdale; Harold Foster, Tinley Park; Tyrone Hardy, Harvey; Garda Hinch, South Holland; Shirley Madsen, Chicago; Sharon O'Keefe, Harvey; Thomas Perry, Dolton; Joseph Samas, Harvey; Daniel Sheehan, Chicago; Jean Shigley, South Holland; Raymond Smock, Harvey; Kiri Tamm, Hazel Crest; Wayne Tellis, Phoenix; Robert Titus, Worth; Penelope Vanderlinden, South Holland.

Bowling League Begins Season

Students at Thornton Junior College interested in bowling will have the opportunity to test their alley skills on Wednesday, October 16 at the Dolton Bowl, 1401 Sibley Boulevard, at 4:00 p.m.

The bowling league will be a weekly event. Definite plans beyond the first meeting have not been made, but all interested students are asked to attend the first group meeting on Wednesday. While regular bowling meetings will cost 40 cents per line, plus 10 cents for shoe rental, Wednesday bowling will be free. After three lines are bowled by each potential regular bowler, averages will be established and teams formed.

Trophies for the TJC League will be supplied by the bowling alley.

Men's Club Smoker Will Feature Piersall

"Fear Strikes Out" will be the feature film of the upcoming Men's Club Smoker to be held Wednesday, Oct. 9, at 6:30 p.m., in the cafeteria according to publicity chairman Dennis Kunka.

The movie, starring Tony Perkins, is the story of Jimmy Piersall's struggle with mental illness and his return to major league baseball.

Admission constitutes the possession of a Men's Club membership card which can be obtained at the door for the price of \$1. Free refreshments will be served.



These smiling cheerleaders will be enthusiastically supporting the Bulldogs this season. From left to right they are: Marilyn Lau, Betty Sella, Nancy Schlueter, standing, Joy Fisher, Kathy Hagen, Mrs. Shirley Beales, sponsor, and Joan LaRue.

New Cheerleaders For Thornton JC

Recognize the girls wearing football jerseys and helmets around school last Thursday? No, they weren't new members of the TJC football team, but are the new cheerleaders chosen to back the Bulldog football and basketball teams this year.

Three new freshman and one sophomore made their cheerleading debuts last Saturday afternoon when Thornton met Morton of Berwyn at Harvey. The cheerleaders are composed of three sophomore girls and are sponsored by Mrs. Shirley Beales, a cheerleader at Thornton High School and Junior College.

Tryouts were held last week. Returning from last year's cheerleading squad are sophomores Kathy Hagen and Nancy Schlueter.

The other sophomore, but new this year, is Marilyn Lau.

The three new freshmen on the TJC cheerleading squad are Betty Sella, Joan LaRue and Joy Fisher.

A Guest Editorial By John J. Smith

CHICAGO DAILY NEWS
Sept. 24, 1963

Dear Mr. Pacholik:

Thanks for your kind note.
The answer to your question about permission to reprint the Sept. 16 column is: Sure. It's flattering.

Sincerely,
/s/ John Justin Smith

WORCESTER, Mass. — You save your money for a dozen and a half years to send the kid to a good college and guess what? You're not really happy.

Oh, let's face it. It's worse than that. You're sad . . . downright melancholy.

Your concern is not for one skinny kid who needs a haircut but for all the thousands of young men and women who are leaving home this fall to enter the big, bad world.

These are the kids of the great postwar baby boom and their fathers have been a shaky world.

Born with the ashes of Hiroshima still in the atmosphere, they've grown in a world punctuated with crises. They were toddlers at the time of the Berlin blockade and the Korean war, went to school during years when empires fell and approached adulthood in a world in which certainty is a thing of the past.

Along about the time they were halfway through grade school, the Russians put the first Earth satellite into orbit. At that moment, today's college freshmen were put in another squeeze, an educational bind.

THEY WERE propelled into new, tough mathematics and science courses. They were graded into learning more, faster.

And if you want to go back to the beginning for most of these kids you can consider this: Often they were get-along-on-a-little-bit youngsters because they grew up in the postwar years when their fathers were working their way up from the economic lag caused by serving in a war.

Even psychologically, we're been tough on this crop of youngsters. We deprived them of the teddy-bear comfort of conformity, preaching to them constantly on the need to be yourself.

Yes, these young people are something special.

MAYBE THAT'S why I was so sad when the skinny lad waved his hand, said, "So long, Pop," and walked into a strange world.

I felt like I was strangling.

I didn't do it (it wouldn't have been manly) but there was a strong urge to call the boy back and say some more things to him. What were these words that couldn't be uttered? I only wanted to say:

Thank you for being a good kid, not just now but all your life. Thank you for the countless times I sent you on errands around the house, and the numerous occasions on which you fetched and carried tools for a do-it-yourself project.

THANKS FOR putting up with the times when I was grouchy and for the newspapers you carried summer and winter to supply your own spending money when money wasn't easy to come by.

Thank you for the times you helped your mother.

And thanks for the diligence you have put into studies that often were difficult . . . like the time I found you at midnight actually squeezing hard on a math book, trying to wring from it secrets that were hard to understand.

Thanks for being good to little kids.

Thank you for not complaining about the things you didn't get that the kids around you were getting—everything from motor scooters to trips to summer camps to convertibles.

Thank you for the foot-pounding and long hours you spent putting groceries on the shelves in a supermarket to earn money.

Thanks for going fishing with me when there were other things you'd rather have done.

Thank you for a thousand smiles and for calling me "Pop."

NO, I couldn't say these things. It wouldn't be manly.

So I sat in the warm sunshine beneath ivy-covered walls, watched linden leaves swaddling along the ground in the wind and darned near strangled myself with the words.

All I could say in parting was:

"Go on . . . get your haircut. You look terrible."

There's a certain universality to this experience. It's going on all over the country and you can see it on every hand here in New England.

Highways are teeming with college-bound youngsters.

So are airports and train stations.

You see them hitch-hiking and in cabs, laden with boxes, suitcases, trunks, lunches, aka, guitars, tennis rackets, golf clubs, newspapers, books, magazines, road maps, timetables . . . and anything else they think might be useful.

UPPERCLASSMEN greet old friends with sturdy vigor . . . "Hello, Jerry. You're looking great. You gained a little weight, too. . ."

And the freshmen, those first of the postwar babies . . . well, they're clutching at straws and trying their best to look manly in jackets with patches on the elbow, worn just because the salesman said they were being worn this season.

Conforming? Sure conforming.

But let them have this bit of teddy-bear comfort. The world owes them much.

CAMPUS SCENE

By Tom Girard

The University of Illinois Board of Trustees has approved a change in academic requirements to insure a broader education for all graduates. Under the change, effective June 1, 1964, at least six credit hours in the humanities, six in the social sciences, and six in the natural sciences will be required.

Harwick College, Ontario, N. Y., has established a new policy in regard to speakers and performers appearing on campus by invitation of student groups. The change enables groups to invite a speaker regardless of whether or not his point of view is congenial to the college. In issuing the invitations, student organizations are expected to keep in mind the aims and objectives of the college. However, the prime responsibility for ensuring that these purposes are met rests on the sponsoring organization.

Benjamin Hickok, associate professor of American Thought and Language at Michigan State University, feels that students in composition classes have a lot of saying things in their themes. He thinks the reason lies in the students' high school education. They are so restricted in high school that when they get to college they want to do as much as they can present their views in a theme.

Knox College has raised its tuition and fees \$105 this year. There will be a 10 percent increase for room and board. The raise will bring Knox's annual comprehensive fee to \$2,455, which covers tuition, board, room, and all fees. Books are not included. Students who do not live in college dormitories or eat in the college dining room will pay \$1,555 for tuition and fees. These increases are necessary to maintain the college's excellent standards of excellence operated on since the close of the 1958-59 academic year.

Book Fair

Saint Francis

By Nikos Kazantzakis
Simon and Schuster, 1962

By Jonathan Field
When a writer decides to write a novel with a religious figure as its principal character, he takes on a great deal of responsibility in the world of letters. Few have been able to do it commercially, artistically, and truthfully. Lloyd C. Douglas was able to do it with "The Hunch of Culpeper." Robert Taylor did it with "The Sign of the Cross." And the late Nikos Kazantzakis has been able to do it with his last novel, *Saint Francis*.

Kazantzakis' books have reputed to transcend the usual limitations of the novel; they go beyond the mere world of the spirit. In all of his novels previous to *Saint Francis* including *The Last Temptation of Christ*, *Freedom or Death*, *The Greek Passion*, and *Zorba*, The Greek, we find powerful and heroic themes. Kazantzakis has always concerned himself with the struggle of the good and evil in men's souls. But Kazantzakis challenges us by this very method. Those religious figures we have always considered to be superior to our "goodness" Kazantzakis treats as men . . . filled with good and with evil.

Francis of Assisi
In *Saint Francis*, Kazantzakis has recreated the story of Christianity's best known, most human, and most beloved saint—Francis of Assisi. The glory and the miseries of medieval Italy march through the pages of this book as though on parade. The author tries to show us Saint Francis as a person, tempted by the life that is offered to him and the life of home. At the same time Kazantzakis writes of the Saint Francis who had the ability to leave behind his daily occupation and pleasure to dedicate himself to a noble ideal. Kazantzakis shows us Saint Francis driven by his own restless spirit to rise above the level of his fellow man in order to assert his belief in goodness and submission.

PEACE CORPS

The next Peace Corps Placement test will be held on October 19 at 8:30 a.m. at 15406 Broadway, Harvey.

Prospective volunteers must be American citizens at least 18 years old.

This test is not competitive, but rather helps the Peace Corps determine the overseas assignment for which the applicant is best qualified.

Died in 1957

Kazantzakis was born in Crete in 1883 and died in Germany in 1957. Long famous in his own country with the American publication of his masterpiece, *The Odyssey*, *A Modern Sequel*, in 1958, he received immediate acclaim when *The Last Temptation of Christ* was published in 1960 in the United States, reviewers where praised it. *Time Magazine* devoted two pages to it; *The Saturday Review of Literature* said, "Nikos Kazantzakis is one of the great literary artists of this century."

Too often, college students, who should be devoted to seeking out what is best in all fields of knowledge, are turned away from a hardiness toward these areas termed. While Kazantzakis deals with religion, he also deals with life in an artistically realistic manner. His work is worth reading.

TTHS Teacher, TJC NS Student

"The coordination between the Thornton Junior College day and night classes is one of the more unique aspects of the college system."

This statement, made by Mr. Garrett Mehok, presently teaching in the social sciences department in the Thornton High School is based upon his personal success in attending the day and night school at TJC.

In order to support both his wife and himself while completing his college education, Mr. Mehok attended the day sessions as well as supplementing this by attending the night school.

In the two years following graduation from Thornton Junior College Mr. Mehok completed requirements for his bachelor's degree at Eastern Illinois University. He has been successful in the attendance of both night and day classes for students desiring to work and attend school, to make up courses, or merely to continue learning.

When asked why he had returned to Thornton to teach, Mr. Mehok replied that he believed that Thornton High School has the best academic program in the area.



By Francis Kelly

In 1960, Jules Dassin, fresh from his triumph of *Rififi*, assembled a group of actors and actresses for a strange epic. The resulting production was entitled *The Law*, and it dealt with the dominance of the law by the strong in a small Sicilian village. The cast featured one established star, Gina Lollobrigida, and three relative unknowns. Marcello Mastroianni appeared as a handsome, eligible bachelor before the world acclaim in *La Dolce Vita*; Mellina Mercouri portrayed the perfunctory wife of a much older and rather fatuous local magistrate; this was before her performance in the classic, Dassin-directed, *Never On Sunday*; Yves Montand, today a popular attraction for both European and American audiences, played in *The Law* as Don Caesar, the Sicilian Al Capone.

This film, featuring less emphasis on the symbolism associated with Fellini and Antonioni and more emphasis on the conflict of character, has been recently released to capitalize on the popularity presently enjoyed by the cast.

Done in French, the plot concerns the daily social conflicts in a small fishing village. It centers around Miss Lollobrigida, who is the alluring maid of the wealthy and profligate Don Caesar—wealthy and ageless, and the attempt of the local men to win her love. Her brother-in-law Tonio Brigante, and the police chief make several advances, all in vain, for she wants only Don Caesar. Marcello, however, is mainly interested in his own and she must employ all of her feminine guile to win him for her husband. Mellina carries on a clandestine dalliance with Brigante's youthful son, hoping to end her run off with him. By allowing Brigante to control the police commissioner, the magistrate, and the village underworld, Dassin estab-

lished him as the "Boss." This point is further brought out when they play an indigenous but illegal game, "the law." Assuming the role of the assistant-boss or *sottoboss*, Brigante burglarizes Lollobrigida's brother-in-law, Tonio, which, under the rules of the game, is perfectly permissible for the Boss. From that point, Brigante's power over the lives of the village appears to be unlimited. When his son tries to leave with Mercouri, Brigante orders him to leave the bus; he obeys. However, Signor Brigante still wishes to claim his wife when she is married. He slices his face with his own knife. Public disgrace follows, and his power declines.

The final scenes portray brilliantly the ephemeral and contingent aspects of human power. Dying Don Caesar orders Brigante to be the magistrate. Instead of deciding the allocation of his estate himself, he designates Lollobrigida as the "Boss," leaving the decision to her. After again humiliating Brigante, she settles the estate as any sensible "boss" would. His grip on the village having thus slipped away from him, Brigante tries to escape by entertaining the magistrate's wife, Mercouri, who, finally disgraced and rejected, jumps from the window to her death. To the taunts of the village peasants, the even Tonio carries the "boss." Brigante walks through the square, searching for some remnant of his former position. Having received a substantial legacy from Don Caesar's estate, Lollobrigida at last weeps Marcello, disproving the theory that the "boss" must always be a man.

The film was powerfully drawn by the complete performances of its cast. It is interesting to observe the high quality of acting present by Mastroianni, Mercouri, and Montand when they were still relatively undiscovered.

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Baker and Wensel Added to Science Department Staff at TJC This Year

(Thornton Junior College welcomed five full time and four part time instructors to its academic staff this fall. The Courier continues its introductory interviews with the new teachers.)

Thornton Junior College welcomed three new teachers to its science department this fall. In the last edition of *The Courier* Mr. O. Reed, zoology and anatomy instructor, was introduced. Also welcomed to the TJC science department this fall are Mr. Martin K. Baker and Mr. Eugene M. Wensel.



MR. WENSEL

Mr. Baker is teaching Geology in his first year of instruction at the junior college level. Before coming to TJC, Mr. Baker taught the Chicago Public School system.

He received his B.A. from Carleton College in Northfield, Minnesota, and his M.A. degree at the University of Chicago.

Mr. Baker, his wife and two daughters, Cheryl Lynn and Karri Marie, reside in Hyde Park.

The third addition to the TJC science department this fall is Mr. Eugene Wensel, instructor of zoology. A one time football player on the high school and college level, Mr. Wensel is now tackling the academic problems of TJC students.

Mr. Wensel received his B.A. degree at Carthage College where he played four years of football. He earned his M.S. degree at the University of Cincinnati.

Before beginning his college career, Mr. Wensel was chosen an allstate prep football end at Homestead High School in Rockton, Illinois in 1953.

He began his teaching career at LaHarpe High School where he was an instructor, assistant football and basketball coach and head track coach for the school of 200 students. After two years at LaHarpe, he was a zoology assistant at the University of Cincinnati.

Last year he taught at Peoria High School in Peoria, Illinois, and was an assistant track coach.

He is currently studying for his Ph.D. at the University of Chicago. Mr. Wensel resides with his wife, Lois, and their two children, David and Deborah, in Park Forest.

Job Opportunities Filled for Year

Many TJC students have taken advantage of job opportunities offered at Thornton and at Thornridge High Schools and Junior College.

Students have been given positions as librarians' assistants, secretaries, or typists for the Dean of Women, Dean of Men, and instructors in the college.

Some of the students work for Thornton instructors while others travel to Thornridge to help the teachers there.

Job opportunities were available to students when they registered. Applicants were selected for the fill the available positions on the basis of need and academic excellence.

The names of those selected to fill the various jobs were posted by Dean Duglar the third week of school.

YEARBOOK PIX

Freshman yearbook pictures for the 1963-64 *Caldron* will be taken next Monday, October 7, in the gymnasium trophy room it was announced yesterday.

Group pictures of all freshmen will be taken throughout the day in the trophy room by the yearbook photographers.

Students should report with their English 101 classes. All students are reminded to report to their English 101 class first and then report to the trophy room as a group.

Time schedules are posted on all bulletin boards throughout the school and are in the possession of all English 101 teachers.

A meeting of all *Caldron* staff members will be held this afternoon in Annex C at 2:25 p.m. All members are requested to attend as major decisions will be made.

Monday is the last day for sophomores to have their pictures taken for the yearbook. The portraits are being taken by Randall Studio, 134 East 15th Street, Harvey.

FRESHMAN YEARBOOK PICTURE SCHEDULE FOR MONDAY, OCTOBER 7

Report to class first and then report to the gymnasium trophy room as a group.

Mrs. Hill	8:30-8:50
Mr. Swanberg	8:55-9:15
Mr. Helgeson	9:30-9:50
Mr. Swanberg	9:55-10:15
Mrs. Chapman	10:30-10:50
Mr. Stanfield	10:55-11:15
Mrs. Chapman	11:30-11:50
Mrs. Hill	11:55-12:15
Mrs. Hill	12:30-12:50
Mrs. Chapman	1:30-1:50
Mr. Helgeson	1:55-2:15
Mrs. Fesler	2:30-2:45
Mrs. Chapman	2:45-3:00
Mr. Helgeson	3:05-3:15
Mrs. Fesler	3:30-3:45

HOME COMING

Homecoming plans, while not yet in their final form, are beginning to take shape representatives from the Student Senate announced yesterday.

Scheduled for Saturday, October 26, Homecoming will feature a football clash with Wilson Junior College at 2:00 p.m. A semi-formal dance in the big gymnasium featuring Iver Burk and his orchestra from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m.

As plans are formulated for this first big TJC weekend, the *Courier* will keep the student body informed.

New Course in Night School

The culture and everyday problems of countries including Africa, Japan, and India are all discussed in a new course now being offered at TJC's night school. The course is a lecture course concerning non-Western civilizations.

Some of the techniques utilized in this course will be lectures on life, culture, people and current events of non-Western countries. Guest speakers will include such men as Chandler Hujia, an East Indian, who will give a lecture and allow discussion. Four main areas will be covered this semester: India, Africa, China, and Japan.

"The class will be interesting, stimulating, and very informative," stated Mr. S. Scott, coordinator of the class.

Those interested in more information can contact the night school office or Mr. Arthur Stejskal, director of the TJC adult night school education program.

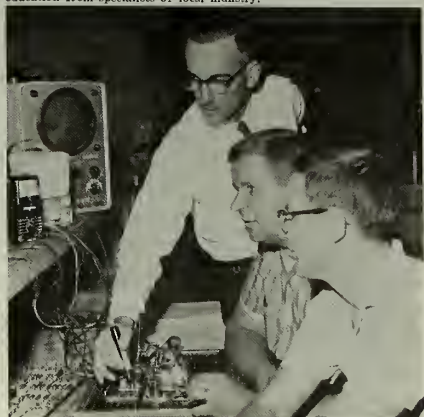
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Civilian Engineers and Technicians

Local Industries Help Give Up-to-Date Training at TJC

By Tom Renner

Junior college students participating in the technical courses of the Thornton Township night school program are receiving an up-to-date education from specialists of local industry.



Mr. R. X. French, research engineer from Sargent and Lundy, Chicago, helps Stan Urban and Bob Livermore with an industrial electronics problem.

Eleven specialists of industry are teaching junior college night school courses this fall in the Industrial Electronics and Mechanical Technology curriculum.

The courses are taught on week nights and Saturday mornings to more than 175 students in ten different subjects.

Fourth Year

Actually, the specialist training isn't new to the Thornton Night School program. It is the fourth year for the electronics program and the third year for the mechanical program.

Mr. Harmon Roberts, head of the Thornton Junior College and High School technical departments, has co-ordinated the program into one of the best night school industrial programs in the state.

"We are fortunate to have these specialists who are willing to share their knowledge with others," said Roberts, "the interest has been outstanding from the student's standpoint too."

Teaching Now

Teaching the courses this fall are: Mr. Harlan Hamre, research engineer at the Illinois Institute of Technology; Mr. R. X. French, research engineer at Sargent and

Lundy, Chicago; Mr. James Rogers, drafting supervisor at Sargent and Lundy, Chicago.

Mr. John Coffey, sales engineer at Minneapolis-Honeywell; Mr. Fred Brown, retired electrical engineer from Illinois Bell Telephone; Mr. Ed Furmanek, chief tool process engineer at Tuthill Pump Company, Chicago; Mr. Edward Cox, chief engineer at Bliss and Laughlin, Inc.

Others Teach

Also Mr. Eugene Champlin and Mr. John Henry, metallurgists at Allis-Chalmers; Mr. John Willey, tool engineer at Allis Chalmers; and Mr. Anton Sterker, Jr., product engineer at Wyman Gordon Company; and Sherman Division.

In addition to the representatives of industry, three faculty members of Thornton are teaching in the junior college technical course program.

Faculty members in the program are Mr. Bill Hayes, Mr. Fred Harvey and Mr. Willard Siville.

CO-ED PRES.

Gail Dunker Easy to Meet

Meeting Gail Dunker is not a difficult thing to do. She may be found sitting in one of your classes, typing in the junior college office, mimeographing in the *Courier* office, or working in the kitchen in the Union Room.

This year, her second at TJC, she leads the Co-ed Club in its many activities. She is quick to tell new students of the opportunities and advantages that the Co-ed Club offers the women at TJC, but she is also aware of the important part played by the other organizations of the junior college. With this in mind she said, "I hope through working for the Co-ed Club that the JC women will develop an interest in other organizations and their activities for all of the various organizations are important in providing a well-rounded program for the junior college student."

Gail has a definite purpose in her studies and work here at TJC. She plans to attend Western Illinois University next year, majoring in English and literature as preparation for teaching on the high school or college level. But before she begins her career as a teacher she would like to spend some time working for the United States in the Peace Corps.



Now's the time to be a THRIFT-TEENER!

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TJC quarterback Jim Withey eyes the goal line in last Saturday's 28-18 loss to Morton. As the picture shows, however, Withey was stopped short of scoring, but the next play saw Frank Fencil dive in for Thornton's first touchdown of the year.

TJC Bulldogs Still Await First Victory of Season

Thornton Junior College's Bulldogs delayed posting their first victory of the season, when they succumbed to Morton last Saturday by a score of 28-18.

The loss gives TJC an 0-1-1 won-lost-tied record.

Thornton started the scoring with a three-yard plunge by Frank Fencil at the beginning of the second quarter and thereby scoring the first touchdown of the season for TJC.

The joy was short-lived, however, as Morton drove from their own 58-yard line and tied the score. The visiting team then did what the Bulldogs couldn't do all afternoon and converted the point-after-touchdown to take the lead 7-6 with 11:40 left to go in the first half.

After the kick was run back, the Bulldogs started their drive for their second TD. John Aggen capped the drive with a one-yard plunge to make the score 12-7.

It seemed that Morton was determined to have the lead at the half and that's what Morton quarterback Tony Vais accomplished when he passed to Bill Linder for a touchdown with 41 seconds left to go in the half. The conversion was good and Morton led 14-12 at halftime.

The second-half kick-off went to TJC and the ball changed hands three times before Morton broke into the scoring column again with 2:46 gone in the third quarter.

Behind 21-12 and in the fourth quarter, things looked bleak for TJC until John Aggen again went over. The score read 21-18 with 9:13 left in the game.

Morton's Vais iced the game though with a spectacular 66-yard run around the left side and, with the PAT, made the score 28-18 where it stood until the gun.

SUBMIT NOW

TJC men interested in attending one of the U.S. Service Academies must submit their applications now for appointments to the class entering in the summer of 1964.

This announcement was made by Congressman Edward J. Derwinski of the 4th District. He stated that all applicants will take a United States Civil Service Commission competitive examination in the early part of November to determine their qualifications for admission.

Northern Illinois Junior College Football Standings

	W	L	T	Pct.
Joliet	1	0	0	1.000
Morton	1	0	0	1.000
Wilson	0	0	1	.000
Wright	0	1	0	.000
THORNTON	0	1	1	.000

GYM JAM

The first junior college gym jam will be held Saturday, October 12, in the big gymnasium from 7:30 to 11 p.m. The event is sponsored by the Student Senate.

Ken Bailey, sophomore, is general chairman of the event. According to Bailey, there will be basketball, dancing, volleyball, badminton, trampoline and swimming.

All junior college students are invited to attend. ID cards are the tickets.

Sell Sweatshirts

The Co-ed Club will sell sweat shirts the week of October 14 to 18, in the third floor hall across from the library.

Orders will be taken for all sizes and colors. Set-in sleeve sweat shirts for \$3.50, and raglan sleeve ones for \$4, will be available. Three to four weeks should be allowed for delivery.

The Co-ed Club will also be selling three types of stationary and TJC stickers.

New Records By JC Talent

Who said that TJC students have no talent? In fact, many are quite talented.

To prove this a number of students have made or will be making records. Imagine one of your own classmates with a disc of his own, a record that might perchance make the top ten or launch a career in show business.

Dreams Must End

But, as all dreams must end, so must this one. The students are making records, but not for a recording company. They are making recordings of their voices for their speech instructors.

These recordings aid the instructor in improving his students' speaking ability, and they enable him to detect any improvement made as the course progresses.

At the beginning of the course each student reads a number of sentences stressing the use of punctuation, diction, and vowels. This enables the instructor to determine the student's weak points in these areas.

Second Recording

At the end of the course, this reading is again made to record any improvement made during the year by the student.

The records when purchased from the book store, are plain, shiny discs. After recording, the discs have grooves and appear as any record would.

This record is then returned to the student as a memento of the speech course.



This is not a riot! These are TJC students who attended the Surfin-Hootenanny and had a riotous time. The Surfin-Hootenanny was the first of many swingin' ones being planned for this year by the Student Senate.

From The Press Box ...

By Mike Jerding

One of the greatest legends of our time has faded out. Stan Musial, one of the greatest hitters of all-time, has retired from baseball. With him retires one of the greatest personalities of the game.

Enough has been said about "The Man's" numerous hitting records, but more than that should be noted is his sportsmanship and off the field.

As a member of the generation that was born into the Musial era, I remember that classic Musial grin when I think of Stan more than I think of his famous batting crouch. I think of his hooknose and friendly personality before I'll remember his hitting.

Let the old-timer talk about his Ty Cobb or his Honus Wagner, I'll take Stan Musial any day. Sportsmanship coupled with excellence in performance will always win hands down.

At the time this was written, the World Series hadn't started so I can climb out on a limb and say the Yankees will win in seven games.

The Yanks won't beat Los Angeles' Sandy Koufax, but all the power lurking in the New York line-up should win it when Koufax isn't pitching.

Look for some surprises from the young Yankee mound on. Plans are in the making for intramural basketball sponsored by the Men's Club. Look for posters with the information or intramural chairman Danny Fox.

Basketball season is still a long time away, but already Coach Don Williams plans a small practice some time this week or next. It is generally known what a tremendous ball club Williams had last year, but from the looks of things, he should have an even better squad this season. Here's hoping.

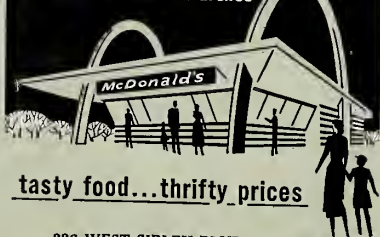
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Circle K Meets For Breakfast

Circle K officially kicked off the new year with a man-sized breakfast, served for all new members at the YMCA Cafeteria in downtown Harvey, one morning last week.

Neal Franklin, sophomore, president of the group, spoke at the breakfast. His remarks were followed by the introduction of Milton Gilmore, chemistry instructor and new faculty adviser for organization.

Members present for the kick-off breakfast were: Mike Franklin, president; Jim Massie, vice president; Mike Jerding, secretary; Paul Bentley and Dan J. board members; Douglas Terrell, Arnold Zweifel, Thomas K. Wayne Marley, Dennis John, Bill Stuet, Norm Warris, Bill Swenson, Bob Pacholik, Jack C. Tom Cirard, Casey Skorpinski, Cureton, Dennis Delanty, Baily, Mark Magaldi, and Ed Adams.

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Members of the 1963 Thornton Junior College football team are pictured above. The Bulldogs wear white jerseys with dark numbers. Pictured first row (l. to r.) are John P. Malm, John Aggen, Henry Glob, John Booker, Don Miller, Rick Finnell, Paul Rebrovich, Morris Johnson and Don Williams, assistant coach.

Robert Piel, Jerry Rehr, Bob Goldie, Jim DeVries, John Hesse, Jim Gilmore, Bob Stage, and Gary Michor. Third row: Peter Schloss, head coach; Frank Fencel, Bill Vogel, Jim Seymour, Doug Holloway, Paul Malm, John Aggen, Henry Glob, John Booker, Don Miller, Rick Finnell, Paul Rebrovich, Morris Johnson and Don Williams, assistant coach.

Student Officers Elected for '63-'64 Year

Final elections for class officers and board members for the Student Senate and Mens' Club were held last week. The elections were conducted by the Student Election Commission last Tuesday and Thursday in Annex C.

Dan Fox was elected sophomore class president while Tom Girard

was elected vice-president. Secretary-treasurer of the sophomore class is Mary Ann Johnson while Charlie Sauerbier was elected student representative.

President of the freshman class is Dave Kolton. Jim Verharren was elected Kolton. Jim Verharren and Janice

Weeden was chosen secretary-treasurer.

Freshmen student senate representatives are Mary Ellen Haney, Joyce Ustian and Lorrie Johnson.

Men elected to be representatives on the Men's Club Board are Robert Broo, Frank Fencel and Larry Gile.

HOMECOMING GAME

Bulldogs Will Face Wilson JC

Still seeking their first Illinois Junior College Conference victory, the TJC Bulldogs travel to Joliet Junior College this Saturday afternoon. The Bulldogs own an 0-2-1 league mark and have one non-league victory.

Head coach Pete Schloss has labeled the 1963 season a "re-building season" for the Bulldogs. With only two sophomore lettermen on the squad of 36-players, Schloss has started from scratch.

Schloss has been using ten freshmen on both the offensive and defensive units. The only lettermen are quarterback Dan Fox and defensive end Morris Johnson.

The most important victory of any football season is always the triumph before the Homecoming alumni, students and faculty. The Bulldogs will host the Wilson Raiders on Saturday, October 26, in the seventh annual homecoming weekend.

Thornton has lost only one of six previous homecoming games, that coming in 1959 at the hands of Joliet, 12-6. In the other five games the Bulldogs have held their opponents scoreless.

Thornton and Wilson battled to a 0-0 tie in Illinois Junior College Conference action earlier this season. The homecoming encounter will not affect the league standings.

Defense has been the sparkling point of the Thornton-Wilson series. Since the two teams have been playing, Thornton has won nine while losing four and tying a pair.

Wilson has not scored a point off the Thornton defense since 1959. During the past five years Thornton has rolled to six victories while totaling 117 points to none for Wilson.

In 14 years of grid competition, Thornton has rolled to an impressive 65-24-3 mark. The winners of six IJCC football championships the Bulldogs at one time won 27 straight games.

Although winning only one of the four games this season, the Bulldogs have dominated every statistic. The Bulldogs have totaled 54 first downs to only 36 for their opponents and have gained 987 yards by land and in the air while limiting their opponents to 814 three-footers.

Tour By Hawaiian

A representative from our fifth state toured Thornton Junior College last Friday as a part of a tour of the mainland to study the junior college system.

The representative was Dr. Richard H. Kosaki, Professor of political science, at the University of Hawaii.

"It is interesting to note" Dr. Kosaki said, "The phenomenal growth of the junior college in the United States. Within 50 years their number has grown from a meager few to more than 600."

It is Dr. Kosaki's hope he can help to start the junior college movement in his state of Hawaii.

Our Concert Choir Chooses Leaders

Mark Aspland, freshman, has been selected to serve as president of the Thornton Junior College Concert Choir. Other officers are: Joe Howard, freshman, vice president; Sarah Stratman, sophomore, recording secretary; and Christy, freshman, treasurer.

Miss Stratman stated that the choir no longer has the problem of imbalance which troubled it for so long. The choir now has 16 sopranos, 10 altos, 11 tenors, and 14 basses and is beginning "to really sound like a concert choir."

The choir, under the direction of Mr. Kent Newbury, is presently preparing for the production of his Christmas program. Included will be the Fred Warling arrangement of "A Song of Christmas," which is to be accompanied by a nativity narrative.

The Christmas program is to be presented December 18 at 8:00 p.m. in the Thornridge High School auditorium.

HarveyCORE Plans To Sue School Board

Members of the Harvey chapter of CORE (Congress of Racial Equality) have informed the District 205 Board of Education that they plan to file suit to change the boundaries of Thornridge High School.

John Hebert, president of the local chapter, made the announcement at a recent school board meeting after CORE had been unsuccessful in its attempts to effect change.

The basis for suit will be Section 14 of the Armstrong Law, which was passed by the last general assembly. It states that school districts should be revised from time to time to prevent any form of segregation.

In an interview with Dr. James Gordon, superintendent of District 205, he said: "The boundary lines of Thornridge were set years ago after considerable research and consultation with experts. These boundaries were set to be as objectively according to where people lived, without regard to race, color, or creed. They represent the best means for economic school operation and development. There is no thought or intention of the Board of Education to have segregation for we firmly believe in integration."

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Introducing the Homecoming Court

The Homecoming King and Queen have been selected but their identity will not be made known until the evening of the dance. The royal couple will be among the members of the Homecoming Court who are introduced below.

Kathy Hagen: Kathy graduated from Blue Island High School, and is majoring in speech at TJC. She plans to attend Northern Illinois.

Nancy Schluter: Nancy graduated from TTHS and is going on to NIU to major in physical education.

Gail Dunker: A Thornridge graduate, Gail is planning to attend Western and major in speech.

Mary Ann Johnson: Mary Ann graduated from St. Willibrod High School and hopes to attend U. of I. and major in education.

Marilyn Lau: Marilyn graduated from Thornton and plans to attend a state college and major in art.

Daniel Fox: Dan is a graduate of Brother Rice. He is majoring in pre-engineering and will attend Western Michigan University.

Neal Franklin: Neal's major is business administration. He plans to attend NU. He graduated from Thornridge.

Sam Belmonti: Sam is a graduate of TTHS and plans to attend U. of I. He will major in pre-law.

Jim Massick: Jim is a graduate of TTHS and plans to major in pre-commerce at Miami University.

Wayne Marley: Wayne hopes to attend Valparaiso and major in chemical engineering. He is a graduate of TTHS.

Last Chance

Sophomores who have not had their pictures taken for the 1964 *Caldron* Yearbook will have one more chance. Randall Photographers, 134 East 154th Street, Harvey, have agreed to accept appointments for TJC sophomores on Friday, October 25, from 10 a.m. to 8:45 p.m.

This is the last chance sophomores will have to get their picture taken for the yearbook. There is no charge for the picture and appointments take only 15 minutes.



Here is your Homecoming Court. Women are: Kathy Hagen, Nancy Schluter, Gail Dunker, Mary Ann Johnson, and Marilyn Lau. Men include: Wayne Marley, Neal Franklin, Jim Massick, Dan Fox, and Sam Belmonti.

Homecoming Is Next Week

Tentative plans call for Homecoming at TJC to open with a blaze of glory Thursday, October 24, with a roaring bonfire at the baseball field, 150th and Myrtle Ave. Preceding the blaze, at 9:30 p.m. will be a "snake dance" through the streets of Harvey. This group will be led by TJC's cheerleaders, and it will hopefully bolster community spirit at the football game. Watch the bulletin boards for further announcements.

The bonfire, first of its kind at Thornton Junior College, will help to spur the team to a Homecoming victory over Wilson JC on our own home field. At the bonfire the grid team will be introduced.

Kick-off time will be at 2:00 p.m. on October 26. Half-time entertainment will be a precision dance group from Thornridge or Thornton High School.

Dad's Day will also be celebrated at the game and players, as well as their dads, will be introduced to the grid fans. And, of course, the Homecoming Court will also be introduced.

Alumni and students will be dancing to the theme, "That Ole

Money! Money! Money! Who really spends it?
Recent figures compiled by the **Harvey Tribune** stated that Harvey's teenage population spends \$2,814,000 per year.

They tend not only to spend their own money, but also have their say so in ways their parents spend their money. The family car, appliances, and other purchases are all subject to teenage approval.

there's money to be made

all so-called college necessities on which Thornton Junior College students spend their money.

So, pennies add up to quarters, quarters add up to dollars.

Mr. Harvey Business Man: Are you getting your share of the teenage dollar? Maybe you are not advertising in the right media? Why not try Harvey's only college newspaper, the **Thornton Junior College Courier**?

A quiet place for rest or study can sometimes be found in the annex C lounge.

At times this room, which is smaller than the Union room, is smoke-filled and noisy. In fact, it may become too noisy to conduct audible classes in near by rooms. Not only can students be heard in class-rooms, but shouting and clattering of falling furniture can be heard. This proves annoying for students trying to

a few can make all miserable

take notes on a lecture in class.

For the sake of every student, this noise should be controlled by normal voice tone and proper manners.

The guilty students should restrain their outbursts before privileges for all students are limited.

It isn't in your bank account or your wallet. You won't be able to borrow it. You can't expect to work harder and earn more of it; and you certainly can't hoard it.

What is this priceless commodity? It's time. It is the universal coin of achievement, available in equal quantities to all.

Robert Ripley, of "Believe It or Not" fame, once made this statement: "A plain bar of iron is worth five dollars. This same bar of iron, when made into horseshoes, is worth ten dollars. If needed, it is worth \$355. If made into pen knife blades, it is worth \$3,285, and if turned into balance springs for watches that identical bar of iron becomes worth \$325,000."

This is also true of time. Some students can turn an hour into horseshoes; still others can turn it into needles. A small number can change it into knife blades. However, only a few students have learned how to transform a golden hour into true-tempered watch springs.

Recent student elections at TJC brought heartaches to several prospective candidates.

After receiving petitions and having them signed by many students, they were informed that they were ineligible to hold offices on the Student Senate. This action brought much rebuttal in a circulated petition of disagreement.

with whom does the fault lie?

The question to be answered is who was at fault in this matter. On one hand, a student should examine the eligibility requirements before taking out a petition. On the other hand, we suggest a review of the eligibility clause of the Student Senate Constitution be undertaken by that body this year.

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Book Hair Instant Culture

By Rick Yonda

No Adam in Eden
Trident Press, 1963
By Jonathan Field

The name of Grace Metalious in the field of American fiction is greeted by less than enthusiasm by most members of the literati; however, by the general reading public, that group which determines the success of most novels published in this country, a new Metalious novel is greeted with open arms and fond affection. Such has been the case with her new novel, *No Adam in Eden*.

Of the women who appear in *No Adam in Eden*, only the first, the matriarch of the paternal line, who remain behind in Canada, and the last, her great granddaughter, seem capable of simply giving and receiving love. All of the other females about whom Mrs. Metalious writes are emotionally crippled in one way or another, and each forest her daughter to her neurotic image, so that they can only view their personal relationships through eyes distorted as her own.

This is particularly true of Angelique de Montigny, the catalyst of this novel, who seems to have inherited all that was bad and little that was good in the entire line. It is doubtful that Mrs. Metalious has ever created a more disturbing character. In spite of her innate selfishness, cruelty to her own children and husband, her all but psychotic belief in herself, and her sexual aberrations, Angelique de Montigny fascinates the reader. A study in absolutely repelling evil, Angelique has her psychological confusion reinforced by her own father who died when she was only a child. Her father had convinced her that she is something very special and thus she is excused from the normal mores of decency and honesty.

A modern gothic novel in its clinical detail of the forest of the mind, *No Adam in Eden* builds to a fantastic climax. Therein lies its weakness as a novel. The whole structure can seemingly lead to only one conclusion: the evil that we are all taught that must inevitably come to those who sin, whether it be imposed by society itself or the more exacting punishment of personal guilt from within. However, Mrs. Metalious cannot be accused of the ordinary. The novel does not end as we expect it to end. As readers we reject any ending that is not within the realm of our experience, and we strongly object to an ending in a novel where the evil are not punished and the good go unrewarded. We object strongly to such an ending, and we strongly object to this basis alone. However, as we become aware of life, we know that making a decision on this basis—punishment for the evil, rewards to the good—is not the way life necessarily is. Mrs. Metalious simply points it out to us.

In this first column, I have attempted a piece-meal examination of the Chicago scene, "entertainment-wise." Chicago offers a wide variety of entertainment, from opera and folk music, ballet and square dancing, to Basenova and Bach.

Someone once said that dance was the poetry of the foot. If you acquiesce to this opinion then you will also agree that folk dancing can be called the free verse of the foot. There will be quite a bit of this type of poetry in the Chicago area in the coming weeks.

The most dynamic of these will be the Stars of the Bolshoi Ballet, featuring 30 of the Bolshoi's finest dancers. Three performances only, will be held on Oct. 18 and 19 at 8:30 and Oct. 20 at 2:30, in the Arrie Crown Theater at McCormick Place. Also at the Arrie Theater on Oct. 27, at 2:30, will be the extraordinary Koutouy Bulgarian National Ensemble, a company of 75 dancers, singers and musicians, will appear for the first time in the U.S. The White Watch, a Scottish group, will also appear at the Arrie on Nov. 1.

Classical music will make the Chicago scene, when Lee Luviss plays this Sunday, at 3:30 p.m. to start the Allied Arts piano series at Orchestra Hall. Others in the series include Jakov Fiere, the great Russian pianist; Lev Oborin and Marina Mdivani. All performances are on Sunday afternoons.

Orchestra Hall will be the scene of the first Chicago performance of the New Christy Minstrels, on Nov. 1, at 8:30. At the same hour on Nov. 8, Carlos Montoya, the Spanish guitarist, will appear there. Orchestra Hall will also host the Clancy Brothers and Tommy Makem at 8:30 on Oct. 25.

Coming Events: "Camelot," the Spanish Broadway musical, is set to open here on New Year's Eve.

College Costs Jump Rapidly

Median tuition charges for undergraduates at 851 private colleges and universities have increased by \$206 in four years—from \$554 for the school year 1958-59, to \$740 for 1962-63, according to a new survey by the U.S. Office of Education.

Thornton Junior College costs are still below that figure.

By comparison, charges in 514 public colleges and universities for a similar period, increased by \$49—from \$134 to \$183 for State residents, and by \$111—from \$328 to \$449, for students from outside the State.

Approximately two-thirds of all public and private institutions only returned the new survey, Using only returns for institutions responding in both years, the Office found that 98 percent of the private institutions raised tuition and student fees over the four-year period. Eighty-one percent of the public colleges and universities raised charges to state residents, while non-state residents found the public institutions raised charges by 19 percent.

Co-ed Beauty In '63

By Donna Angus

Friday, October 4—At 9 p.m., left Harvey via '63 Ford with trusty pen and notebook at my side. My destination—71 E. Wacker Drive, Chicago. It was here that I was to attend the John R. Pover's Press Conference on Tea.

Having overcome the perils of the Dan Ryan Expressway and the heat of the Chicago Loop, I found myself amid the plush furnishings of the Executive House. I proceeded to take an elevator to the 38th and top floor. A waiter escorted me to a table at which I was seated. To my right I could see the towering Marina City with its lavish rooms, while to my left there were the beautiful waters of Lake Michigan.

Before the program began, Mr. Pover, often referred to as America's foremost authority on women, mingled with the audience introducing himself.

At 8:00 p.m. now 68, opened the world's first modeling agency in 1923 and created the famed "Pover's Girls" models. With the establishment of the agency, Pover opened finishing schools for young ladies in cities from coast to coast.

Powers graduated from the University of Pennsylvania and came to New York in 1920 to find employment as a teacher. Instead, he found himself carrying a load in an off-Broadway play for \$9 a week. His sideline, contacting actresses to model for fashion shows and photographers, led directly to the establishment of the first formal modeling agency.

At 8:30 p.m. the program officially opened when Donalyn Freund, "Miss Chicago of 1963," and a Powers instructor, formally greeted the group of over 100 high school and college reporters and editors. She then presented Mr. Pover, who enumerated his "Ten Commandments" for youthful beauty:

1. There are no ugly ducklings. Every girl can become a swan; most beauties are made, not born.
 2. A beautiful complexion is nine parts cleanliness, one part make-up. Cosmetics are meant to enhance, not disguise the face.
 3. Your figure is the direct result of eating and exercise habits.
 4. The easiest secret for new beauty is a new hairdo.
 5. The most important thing a girl wears is the expression on her face.
 6. In the clothes that make the girl; it's the girl who makes the clothes.
 7. Good grooming is the most convincing evidence of good looks.
 8. Bad manners are always unbecomingly in a girl.
 9. Good posture creates the "pride look"—hallmark of the models.
 10. The natural girl will always be in style. Overdone make-up, garish clothes, and affected manners are never in fashion.
- Powers then stressed the make-do look, emphasizing the importance of beauty, and teamed with cosmetic expert Allan Lippert, he demonstrated the concept. Make-do involved a skillful use of cosmetics to bring out the natural highlights rather than hiding beauty behind a cosmetic mask.
- Powers concluded the program: "I have never met an unattractive woman, but I have met women who have 'never' been the best of beautiful. With intelligence and effort, any woman can free the beauty that is within her."
- percent of the private institutions were able to hold increases of \$100 or less for a two-semester school year. Another 16 percent raised fees from \$101 to \$200. More than a quarter—26 percent—upped charges by \$201 to \$300 and slightly more than a fifth—the public institutions increased charges by \$301.

Co-ed Discovers 'New Way of Life' At Thornton JC

By David Steinberg

Mary Brainard, sophomore, is a most unusual TJC coed. For the past few months, Mary has been confined to a wheelchair, but this has not stood as a deterrent in her drive to an education. Mary expresses it this way: "No, my wheelchair is no handicap; it is simply a new way of life."

Mary Brainard graduated from Bremen High School in Midlothian, Illinois. She chose to come to Thornton Junior College because it was close to her parents' home in Markham, and Mary adds, "My older sister, who attended TJC in 1958-1959, recommended it to me."

Scheduled for a June 1964 graduation from Thornton, Mary plans to continue her education at the University of Illinois. She hopes to achieve her goal and become an English teacher.

When Mary is not doing homework—this situation exists rarely according to this TJC sophomore—she likes to read. An avid fiction fan, she also enjoys the television program of Johnny Carson's and Dr. Kildare.



MARY BRAINARD

Mary does have one complaint. Traveling from Annex B to Annex C is not difficult for her. However, because of the condition of the sidewalk in front of the two buildings, it is rough on the chair she uses. Sometimes, as Mary points out, traveling on foot on this walk is difficult; it does not seem unreasonable that it would be more difficult by wheelchair.

In the past TJC students have been willing to and Mary has been when she needed one. "I would appreciate student's help when I am crossing from one annex building to the other. Since my little chair does not have automatic power, I find myself stuck in the rut. This is when I need that helping hand."

Every student at Thornton Junior College has a story. Some students are struggling financially; some are having a rough time academically; some, like Mary, have more dramatic and obvious handicaps. Each student is a success story in his own right, and each student completing their struggle for an education is one more stone in the road called "courage."

Thornton Junior College students are proud young men and women; and Thornton Junior College is proud of the spirit shown by all of student body, but we are particularly proud of students like Mary Brainard.

Circle K Plans

The Circle K club of TJC has laid plans for some of its fall activities.

At a meeting on October 6, Neal Franklin, president, told members what Circle K hoped to achieve this semester. Of main interest presently is the sale of programs at the home football games. They include rosters of both teams and will sell for 10 cents.

Another service to be provided by Circle K will be a strategic placement of garbage cans around the campus. Each will display the Circle K logo.

Regular meetings have been set for Thursday mornings at 7:30 a.m. at the Harvey YMCA.

'Apple Polisher' Scores Hit



Mr. Fred Ring, head of the science department of TTHS and TJC, Mr. Milton Gilmore, chemistry instructor, and Miss Dorothea Lieb, hygiene instructor, enjoy a moment of conversation at Coed Club Faculty Tea.

Paperback Books Make the Big Time

By Gerald Compton

A paper revolution is underway in the nation today and the students of the colleges and universities are playing a very prominent role in it.

The next time you happen to be at the local newsstand notice the number of classics and modern best sellers which are now being published in paperback, and you will begin to realize the importance of the part you play in this literary revolution.

For many years paperbacks were considered nothing more than inexpensive bed companions for insomniacs; this is no longer true. The paperback has come of age and now occupies a very prominent position in the lives of most everyone. Today, it is possible to obtain an impressive library containing everything from Homer's *Iliad* to

Ferlingetti's *Coney Island of the Mind* at an average cost of seventy-five cents per volume.

It was approximately ten years ago that the first classic in soft covers was offered on the market. The market began to grow, gradually mushrooming into an industry which publishes upwards of 45,000 books of various types which are vital to every phase of American life—from the kitchen to the classroom. For the past five years publications and sales of paperbacks in the United States have reached record highs and publishers are expecting to establish new records this year.

One book dealer referred to the paperback revolution as "a God-send to students" who could not afford hard cover editions of these same books. To exemplify the tremendous savings which have been made available to the public, this dealer mentioned a recent Bantam release, a four volume edition of "A History of the English Speaking People" by Winston S. Churchill. The cost of this edition is \$1.25 per volume or \$5.00 for the entire set. This same series in its hard cover edition would have cost \$20.

Plans Laid at First Smoker

Wayne Marley, TJC Men's Club president, announced during the first smoker on October 9, that the Men's Club is planning to organize fraternity-like work groups during the spring semester.

The plan was received with almost unanimous approval by all members present at the smoker. Further information will be available later.

Besides the announcement by Marley, the main feature of the evening was the film *Four Strikes Out* based on the life of baseball player Jimmy Piersall. Tony Perkins, who played the role of Piersall, did an excellent job of portraying the problems leading to Piersall's mental breakdown and finally to his recovery.

Cokes and hamburgers were served to all members. Men's Club pins were sold before the film and are still being sold by the officers and board members.

The next smoker is scheduled for February of next year.



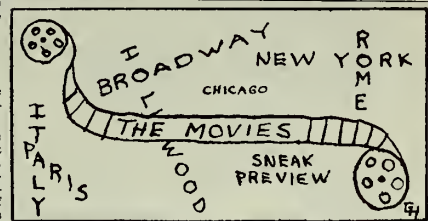
Men's Club members line up for Coke and hamburgers at first smoker before laying plans for this semester.

JC Activities Keep Pat Busy

Pat Christ, the busy leader of Alpha Sorority, has found many activities to keep a TJC sophomore busy. Even while in third semester chemistry lab, with her head filled with formulas and atomic symbols, she is still aware of her responsibilities as a sorority leader.

Alpha has been a busy sorority already this year. They had the job of opening up the kitchen in the Union Room at the beginning of school. They are also in charge of the Mother-Daughter Banquet held annually in April.

Pat plans to enroll in a three year nurses' training program after a Registrar's Nurse. She has studied zoology and comparative anatomy as well as chemistry at the junior college to prepare her with a background in medicine.



According to publisher's reports, *Lord of the Flies*, the novel by William Golding, is the second most widely sold book in American college and university book stores. The filmed version directed by Peter Brook deserves consideration.

A group of English public school boys are marooned on an island, after a plane crash. Two leaders emerge: Ralph and Jack Merridew. Ralph is civilized and normal. Jack is a boy whose primitive instincts are close to the surface. Ralph, assisted by Piggy (a fat boy with asthma), and Simon and others, attempts to create a system of order by means of rules and common sense and parliamentary procedure. Jack, who chooses to be a hunter and is joined by Roger and others, strives to rule by force. In time, and in turn almost all the boys become savage. Simon and Piggy are murdered, and Ralph himself is about to be murdered when, just at the end of the film, he is rescued. The common nature of men in general is the apparent subject of the film, and the thesis is that in all of us there is an outer or surface level of civilization, below which is a dark desire: primitive, murderous, savage and bestial. And, as a corollary, given the proper circumstances, the civilized side is no match for the ever-insistent and watchful darker side.

Evidently the young (and very young) are the subject of a little fiction, in which the old (and very old) indulge; that is, that the young are rather less complicated than most people, that, in fact, they are concentrates, which, like frozen juices, will necessarily be diluted as they are used up. It's possibly true. But, stylistically, because they are only rarely endowed with individual characteristics, stories and films about them, however useful as general explanations, have a contrived or unreal air.

Even though the nub of the plot is the same in both instances, the film almost makes a different point from that of the novel. Over the credits there appears a series of stills: pictures of English public school boys, laughing, posing in groups, in class and in choir. In addition, pictures of a world at war are shown: planes, rockets, and a boy holding a toy rocket; and the sounds of war are intermingled with the sounds of school. The stills seem to tell us that we are going to see a movie about what might happen to a group of English public school boys who have absorbed the English public

tradition, and who have grown up in a world of war. I think we can understand the end of the film: "But what can we expect from these boys, brought up as they were in such a way and in such a world?" This is a different point from a general statement as to the nature of man. The performances are not helpful in this regard. The boys, in particular, Jack, remain only public school bullies.

Occasionally, a more general statement is attempted. The primitive nature of Jack and his choriater hunters is underscored and accompanied by a musical theme: something—martial, parade-like, even when Ralph is rescued by a end when Ralph is rescued by the naval officer and a party of sailors. The theme is the leit-motif by which it is demonstrated that man and boy have identical natures. You could, I suppose, at any point in the film, generalize how the form of the society of man is at the mercy of the nature of man, but I think you would generalize. In the end, what we may have, is just another Dead End Kid film: a group of boys brutalized and victimized by their environment.

The production technique employed by Brook was unusual. He used two cameramen: Denys Coop for the planned setup and Gerry Feil for scouting around and shooting here and there. The camera was so to speak, never cut.

In addition, Brook worked without a shooting script in the usual sense of the word. Much of the shooting was worked out on the spot, and spontaneity is readily well realized. The camera is often hand-held, and the expressive sense of closeness and motion is had. Occasionally, there is a lapse in continuity. The boys were, after all, non-professionals, and I imagine it was not possible to perfectly match setups; but what you see often appears to be actually happening, and certainly Brook was trying to get a quality of actuality as the boys went through their little formalities which would lead them back to rehearsal.

Lord of the Flies marks a departure for Brook. Brook has said that he admires extraordinarily this kind of movie-making on the spot. He has made the best of a bad, or difficult, business, and he was more successful than he has a right to believe he would be. But, you know something? It all has the air, even at the most serious times, of a summer camp for boys.

Linksmen Undeclared

The Thornton Junior College linksmen hope to end an undefeated season next Tuesday when they tackle Moline and Bloom at Moline's home course for the final regular match of the season.

Coach Bob Anderson's crew has a regular season record of six wins and no losses, not including yesterday's match with Joliet and Elgin at Cherry Hills.

The conference match will be held one week from today on Oct. 25.

Stand-outs this season have been Bill Wojanowski, who has been consistently scoring in the seven ties, Ron Czupek, Ray Czupek, and Jim Massick.

Thornton, Bloom Share Electronic Facilities

Thornton Junior College and Bloom Community College have launched a combined electronics technology program.

This new program uses the facilities of both schools to broaden opportunities for students in this field without non-resident fees. After completing courses in direct current, alternating current, elementary electronics, and advanced electronics, a student may choose advanced work in industrial electronics at Thornton or communications electronics at Bloom. Completion of the curriculum offers an electronics technician certificate and an associate degree.

Enrollment is available on a full or part-time basis. The courses also are offered in the evening at both schools. It is possible to take all the subjects required for a certificate in a part-time or an evening program.

Both Thornton and Bloom have well equipped electronics technology laboratories. Materials have been purchased through the Federal National Defense Education Act program and the State Board of Vocational Education, technical division. The courses, which are taught by University of Illinois graduate electrical engineers, are fully approved by the Board of Vocational Education.

This is the second year Thornton and Bloom have pooled resources to provide increased facilities in the field of electronics technology.

MaGruder Teaches Economics at TJC

(Thornton Junior College welcomed five full time and four part time instructors to its academic staff this fall. The Courier continues its introductory interviews with the new teachers.)

Teaching Economics at Thornton Junior College this fall is Mr. Bailey MaGruder. He is teaching five classes in the principles of economics and American economic history.

Born in Florida, he received his B.S. degree at Murray State College in Murray, Kentucky and his M.A. degree at Northwestern in Evanston, Illinois.

He didn't really become interested in teaching until he enlisted in the United States Army.

His first teaching assignment was at the Skokie Junior High School where he taught while working on his thesis for his M.A. degree. This is his first junior college teaching assignment.

"In most four year universities the first two years are an endurance test to weed out the student who doesn't want to learn," said MaGruder, "but the junior college program today is better preparing the college student for the junior and senior years."

"In the next five years there will be a bigger stress placed on the Junior College program because the four-year schools won't be able to handle all the high school graduates."

Mr. MaGruder, his wife, Nancy, and two children, Susan and John, are living in Riverdale. He enjoys fishing and camping. "There's nothing more enjoyable than ice fishing in the winter," he said.

IT'S CROWDED!

Enrollment Way Ahead

Are you having trouble finding a seat in the Union Room, getting up and down congested stairways, or finding an unoccupied chair in the union room? Do you think TJC is crowded? You're absolutely right.

Junior College enrollment stands at 741 students, a hundred more than two years ago. "The increase would have been more but for the exceptionally low graduating classes in the high school," said Dean Dulgar.

TJC night school has experienced an explosive expansion in enrollment in the last two years, from 895 to 1484 students.

The break-down of the totals reveals there are 461 freshmen, of whom 342 are residents in the district and 119 are not. There are 226 sophomores composed of 164 residents and 62 non-residents. Fifty-four special students are included in the total.

There are 506 men and 235 women, or a ratio of more than two men to every woman.

More than 100 students were put on the waiting list for entrance and another 150 made inquiries, but because they were given little chance of acceptance they did not even apply.

Naturally, there is great relief for all concerned after student registration is over, but the hard work isn't what bothered Dean Dulgar the most. In his own words, "It's hard work registering all those students, but the hardest job was telling those who applied, who perhaps were not able to attend some other college that they could not be accepted."

The Dean expressed disappointment at the vetoing of two education bills by Governor Kerner which would have helped to ease the crowded situation here by increasing state aid to higher education.

The state legislature authorized a committee to investigate the problems of higher education in Illinois. On November 6 the Illinois Association of Junior Colleges will meet to discuss problems the Junior colleges are facing and on November 7 and 8 there will be a meeting concerning higher education to discuss the recommendations of the committee mentioned above.

One suggestion on how to increase the capacity of TJC made by Dean Dulgar was to hold four and five o'clock classes, but he cautioned, "The students wouldn't like that because it would interfere with their part-time jobs."

Athletic Empire Built By Schloss

By Tom Renner and Mike Jerding

Thornton Junior College athletics have gained great strides in the past years thanks to its athletic coordinator, Pete Schloss.

Schloss was head coach of the football, basketball, and track teams until last year when Don Williams, a member of the Thornton high school faculty, was named the basketball mentor.

A one-time high school and college athlete in football, basketball and track, Schloss has built the Thornton Junior College athletic empire to one of the most respected in the state.

Born in Harvey (not Illinois, but North Dakota) on March 18, 1922, Schloss received his elementary, high school, and college education in that state.

He attended Esmond High School in Esmond, North Dakota, and ended as an athlete in football, basketball, and track. He participated in the state track for four years in the 100-yard and 220-yard dashes, the quarter mile, 180-yard high hurdles and broad-jump. As a senior he finished third in both the 100-yard dash and broad-jump.

He attended Mayville State Teachers College in Mayville, North Dakota, for two years. As a freshman he was chosen an all-conference honorable mention as a halfback and during his sophomore year was selected an all-conference first team halfback.

The highlight of his college career came against Berea School of Forestry when he scored six touchdowns. "If I remember correctly," kids Schloss, "it was so foggy that afternoon one team couldn't see another."

He served his country in the Army for three years, part of which he attended the University of Kentucky. He received his B.A. at Bemidji State College in Bemidji, Minnesota, and his M.A. from the University of Wisconsin. He has attended the University of Colorado for three summers.

The first coaching assignment was at Sycamore High School. He was head coach of the football, basketball, and track teams as well as head of the math department.

In 1951 Schloss became a member of the Thornton Junior College athletic staff. He was named assistant football and head track and basketball coach. In 1953 he became head coach of the football team.

Since that time Schloss has guided his football teams to an impressive 48-11-4 record. During that time he has won six Illinois Junior College Conference football championships and had four undefeated seasons. During the four undefeated seasons his teams won 27 straight!

Dr. C. Rietz: Math 101, M-W-F, Period 1, Room C-5, has been added. Mr. J. Stanfield: Shakespeare 204, Period 4, T-Th, has been changed to Room 210. Mr. W. Willard: Education 201, Period 7, M-W-F, has been changed to Room B-3.



Head football coach Pete Schloss has guided TJC grid squads to six Illinois Junior College Conference championships since 1953. Schloss views some of the trophies earned by his football, basketball and track teams.

Schloss recalls his 1955 team that won the first IJCC championship for Thornton. "We had on 18 men on the team, 12 of whom had played before. This team was one of the best I've ever coached and they gained the reputation of being called 'The Ironmen'."

When the Bulldogs meet Wilcox Junior College on Homecoming Weekend Saturday, October 26, Schloss will be seeking his 50th victory; that's if the Bulldogs defeat Joliet Saturday.

Student Senate Elects Officers for 63-64

Student Senate Board members elected officers for the 63-64 school year Monday morning at its first official board meeting. Class representatives to the Student Senate were elected last week.

Karen Callanan, a sophomore from Harvey, was elected president of the Student Senate while Tom Renner, a sophomore of Riverdale, was elected vice-president.

Secretary of the Student Senate is Mary Ann Johnson, a sophomore of Dolton. Cherie Sauerbier, a sophomore from Harvey, was elected treasurer.

The Student Senate board comprised of representatives from the major organizations of the junior college as well as the elect positions.

Buda Gym Will Be Razed; New Field House Planned

The Buda Gym will be torn down this spring to make way for \$1,390,000 worth of new athletic facilities, which will include a new football field and a new field house.

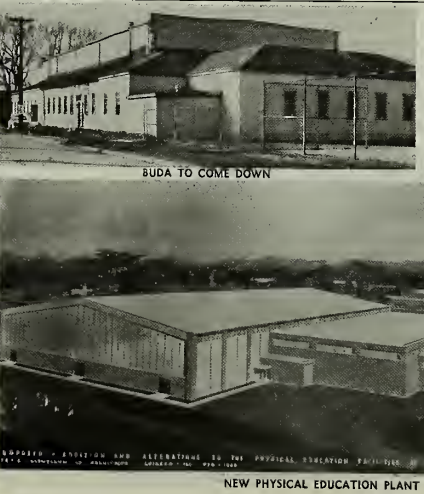
The demolition of the Buda will end its more than 35 years of service to the high school and college community.

In 1927 it was purchased by the school district for use in their physical education program and has since remained in that capacity. The decision to tear down Buda and build the new athletic facility was made last fall when voters approved the school bond referendum.

Replacing the old gym will be new football field and an eight-lane track. On either side of the field will be 15 row bleachers that will seat several thousand students.

There will also be a practice football field and space for other track and field events covering the vacant lot south, and part of 149th street, which will be closed between Center Ave. and Broadway in accordance with a recent city ordinance.

The new field house will be erected north of the present high school gymnasium and on part of the football field. It will contain, besides a large area for indoor sports, several gyms for physical education on the ground floor and four locker rooms in the basement.



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Karen Knits In Free Time

By Rosemary Philpot

Knitting! In the Union Room? Yes, and here you can see Karen Southwick proving that it can be done.

Karen, who is in her second year at TJU, has learned from experience that you can't study and successfully carry on a conversation at the same time, especially in the Union Room. She busies her idle hands by working on a lavender chair sweater while conversing with her friends in the lounge.

Working now on her second sweater, she learned to knit only this past summer. But knitting is only one of the seemingly lost feminine arts that Karen enjoys. She also enjoys sewing, chacheting, embroidering, and cooking.

Neither is Karen limited to sheltered activities. She enjoys various outdoor sports and has won four trophies for her bowling skills. To Karen femininity is important, but she has a definite dislike for the poor weak female who can't swing a bat.

Anyone for knitting? Fellows, start now to knit that sweater for your favorite girl for Christmas. Karen's giving lessons in the Union Room.

Co-eds Select Vice President

Joyce Ustian, freshman, was recently elected to fill the position of Second Vice-president of the Co-ed Club. That position is the only one in the main body of officers that is held by a freshman.

Her main duty, besides helping with the regular Co-ed Club activities, is to take charge of the annual Spring Luncheon which is given in honor of the TJU sophomore women. The luncheon will be held in May.

Grid Standings

	League				Overall			
	W	L	T		W	L	T	
Joliet	1	0	1		1	2	1	
Wilson	1	0	2		1	1	2	
Wright	2	1	0		3	1	0	
Morton	1	2	0		1	2	0	
THORNTON	0	2	1		1	2	1	

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Karen Southwick, sophomore, shows us how it is done. At least, she tries to work on her knitting while she sits in the Union Room.

Community Forum Will Show Travel Films

The 21st annual Harvey Community Forum will begin its 1963-64 season on November 13, and its first feature will be a travelogue titled, "Israel-Rebirth of a Nation" by Ed Lark, a noted filmmaker.

The film portrays Israel's dynamic reconstruction after the people regained their independence. It also gives an interesting account of Israel's past through film and lecture.

The series includes four films in all, and the next to be shown on Dec. 4, is "Turkey—Our Secret Defense Against Russia and the Middle East." It, as well as the rest of the films, will be shown at the Thornridge High School Auditorium.

The film on Turkey will be

hosted by Neil Douglas, a noted writer, producer, explorer and glaciologist. This beautiful picture in rich color, not only shows the amazing Turkey of today with westernization that seems impossible in 35 years but brings to the screen for the first time the history of man made alive, in one of the most exciting areas of early living.

On January 7, the film "Ethiopia Today" will be shown by Willis Butler, who will give the commentary on this beautiful and exciting film.

In this film Butler takes you

through 4000 miles of rugged Ethiopia by airplane, jeep, mule, boat, and on foot. He covers thoroughly the country's geography, history, religion, family life, and tourist attractions.

The last film in this colorful series will be shown on February 12, and the world wide traveler and lecturer, Eric Pavel will take you on a journey through the "Alpine World." Few areas on earth hold more concentrated beauty than Europe's Alps. Few films have ever more successfully given a human interest portrayal.

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Score 1st Victory At Wheaton 21-12; Fencil Scores 2 TD's

Freshman Frank Fencil sparked the TJC Bulldogs to their first grid victory of the season Saturday (Oct. 5) afternoon over the Wheaton Bombers, 21-12, on the losers' gridiron.

It was the first victory in three starts for the Bulldogs who had tied Wilson 0-0 and bowed to Morton, 28-18.

Fullback Frank Fencil sparked the TJC offensive drive as the Bulldogs rolled to its season high in scoring and yardage. Fencil carried the ball 25 times for 141 yards while the Bulldogs totaled 327 three-foots by land and air. Fencil also scored two touchdowns and a pair of extra points.

Wheaton drove deep into Thornton territory on the first drive of the game, but fumble gave the Bulldogs possession on the 20-yard line. Thornton moved all the way to the Wheaton 12-yard stripe before losing possession. A hard hitting TJC Fencil forced the Wheaton gridders to fumble again.

Fencil moved the ball into the end zone on three plays and went over for the extra point.

Wheaton tallied its first touchdown on a spectacular 89-yard punt return by Sheldon Hurst. Dan Fox punted the ball to the Wheaton one-yard line. Hurst raced down the sidelines 99 yards for the TD. Thornton enjoyed a 7-6 halftime lead.

A drive of 62-yards in the third period and highlighted by a one-yard plunge into the end zone by Fencil put Thornton on top 14-6. Fencil dived through the line for the extra point to put the Bulldogs on top 14-6.

Neither team could get a drive going until late in the fourth quarter. Head coach Pete Schloss sent freshman Doug Holloway into the game for the first time after Thornton was stalled on their own 41-yard line. Holloway danced 56-yards for his first touchdown of the year and added the extra point.

Wheaton, however, didn't say die. After three unsuccessful pass attempts, quarterback Dave Carlson threaded the needle to Mark Pett for a 52-yard touchdown.

Bulldog Statistics			
	TJC	OPP	
First Downs	54	48	
Yards Rushing	895	466	
Yards Passing	182	348	
Total Yardage	1077	814	
Fumbles	10-12	10-6	
Punts	11	11	
Average Yardage	36.7	33.2	
Yards Tendency	150	169	
INDIVIDUAL (Rushing)			
Fencil	90	Yds.	4.9
Holloway	32	Yds.	5.4
Booker	24	Yds.	3.4
Akers	25	Yds.	1.8
Wilkey	22	Yds.	1.8
Ferguson	7	Yds.	2.8
Morris	6	Yds.	2.3
Fox	17	Yds.	2.4
(Passing)			
Fox	22	Yds.	163
Wilkey	10	Yds.	0
(Pass Receiving)			
Gallie	16	Yds.	11
Kowarsky	5	Yds.	60
DeVries	2	Yds.	13
Fencil	1	Yds.	4
(Scoring)			
Fencil	4	PTS	26
Akers	4	PTS	12
Holloway	1	PTS	7
Ferguson	1	PTS	7
Fox	0	PTS	2



From The Press Box

By Mike Jerding

When Walter Alston, manager of the Los Angeles Dodgers, was asked to explain the reason for his team's becoming world champions so easily, he remarked that the incentive was his squad's hunger for "green stuff."

I don't know any member of the Dodgers personally nor have I followed the Dodgers during the season, but I must disagree with Mr. Alston. Money certainly entered into the picture, but dollars and cents must take a back seat to tradition, competition, and personal satisfaction.

I may seem like an idealist, but I find it hard to believe that anyone would go through what baseball players, gridiron men, hockey players, and basketball players go through just for the money.

Money is not the reason why scores of men linger in the minor leagues of baseball for years. They could make just as profitable a living elsewhere, but they love their jobs.

Football players have to endure a pre-season training session which is unparalleled in roughness. One must love to hit a man with a bone-crushing block. A man must love trying to tackle men like Jim Brown and Jim Taylor. Money doesn't enter the picture when full-backs such as Brown and Taylor come roaring at you like a locomotive. The New York Yankees are a prima example of tradition. Each year, they are counted out of the pennant at spring training because "they just don't have the team this year." Yet the Yankees manage to stay on top year in and year out. There is something about a pin-striped uniform that affects a ball player in certain ways. He has to hit like a Yankee, field like a Yankee, and win like a Yankee in the World Series, I'll bet the New Yorkers were not thinking about the money they'd lose. No, I'd rather think Mantle and Co. were thinking what a disgrace it was to lose a series in four games straight. A Yankee just doesn't do things that way.

The most important reason, however, why even professionals enter a sport is personal satisfaction. Bobby Hull of the Chicago Black Hawks, is one of the most handsome men in the game of hockey. Hockey is not improving his looks, though. Sticks and pucks have made their marks on Hull, who as most hockey pros, have had more than their share of facial stitches. I don't believe the Black Hawks can pay him enough for such facial injuries or other serious accidents. But he is good at driving a puck through an opposing goalie into the net. His personal satisfaction from scoring goals is worth more to him than stitches or injuries. The money is only icing on the cake.

Professionals are professionals because they get paid for doing what they like to do. Money is only padding. Chances are that the baseball player, the football player, the hockey player, and the basketball man would be playing at his sport in his spare time while working at some other profession.

At the last TJC football game, the Bulldogs impressed me as being a much better team than they were at the first two games of the season. The household name game with Wilson should be interesting. Wilson held Thornton to a tie in the first game of the season this year and the Bulldogs should be out for blood.

Men Complete P.E. Tests

Friends, students, classmates! Be not alarmed. The young men you see in the halls doubled over in pain are not the victims of some rare malady. They are merely members of Mr. Schloss' physical education classes.

For the past three weeks the men's P.E. classes, under the direction of Mr. Pete Schloss, have been undergoing a series of tests to determine how TJC men compare physically with the men of the military academies. The tests are the same as the ones which are administered at West Point and at the Air Force Academy. The tests consist of a series of five exercises; 7 pull-ups; 50 sit-ups; 600 yard shuttle run; 35 push-ups; and a 7 foot standing broad jump.

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DOMINATE STATISTICS BUT NOT SCORE

Bulldogs Lose to Wright; Winless in Conference Play

The TJC Bulldogs failed to record their first league win last Thursday night bowing to Wright Junior College, 18-16, in a night game at home. The defeat dropped Thornton to a 1-2-1 season record and an 0-2-1 Illinois Junior College conference mark.

The Bulldogs dominated every statistic but the score as Wright scored three quick touchdowns in the first half.

Thornton kicked off to Wright and the Bulldog defense forced their opponents to punt. With the ball on the 22-yard line the hike from center went over Wright punter Chuck Sampson's head and into the end zone. Sampson fell on the ball in the end zone for an automatic safety to give Thornton a 2-0 budge with only two minutes gone.

Wright kicked off to the Bulldogs, but a fumble by fullback Frank Fencil on a third-down substitution set up the winners' first scoring drive. Wright moved 55-yards in four plays into the Thornton end zone, highlighting the drive was a 27 yard pass from Sampson to end Mike Gill for the touchdown. The extra point attempt was blocked.

The Bulldogs took over the lead on their next offensive drive which went 69 yards. Fencil carried the ball nine of 13 times in the drive and raced 13 yards for the touchdown. Dan Fox added the extra point to give the Bulldogs a 5-6 lead.

Five first downs later Wright took over the lead to stay. The

winners marched 78 yards before halfback Dennis Gieseke raced the final six for the TD. Again the extra point attempt failed. Thornton stopped the drive momentarily on their 47-yard line when Doug Holloway intercepted a Wright pass. The play was nullified, however, after a five yard penalty at the line of scrimmage was called against Thornton.

Wright's defense stopped two Thornton rushes at the line of scrimmage and broke up a pair of pass plays to force the Bulldogs to give up the ball. Gieseke raced 36-yards on the first play to the Thornton 22-yard line. Fullback Bill Wittershiem moved the ball to the Thornton 15-yard line before Sampson raced the final yardage for the TD. The extra point attempt failed.

The score at halftime stood 18-9 in favor of Wright. Both teams lost possession of the ball on fumbles to open the second half and neither could get a solid drive moving until late in the third period.

After being stopped by the Thornton defense, Wright was forced to punt. The ball sailed into the end zone and was brought out to the 20-yard line. The Bulldogs needed only seven plays before they had marched 80-yards to paydirt.

Holloway set up the touchdown drive with a 45-yard run to the 10-yard line. Freshman Ron Paceyga notched his first touchdown of the season racing the final yardage for the TD.

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The third season, fall, came into its own in Northern Illinois and surrounding areas this year. Warm days, overcast classrooms, flowers blooming out-of-season, and perspiring football fans as well

players were a part of the campus scene. It was a great season, but we're already feeling the chill as the first fingers of winter curl around our campus as we trudge toward that first morning class.

MaryAnnJohnson Scores as Beauty

Mary Ann Johnson, TJC sophomore, was a finalist in the Miss Teenage Chicago beauty pageant which was held on October 19.

140 girls were selected from 3,500 who registered as entrants. These girls were selected not only on beauty, but also on the basis of scholastic achievement and personality. From the 140 competitors who took part in the preliminaries 25 were selected as semi-finalists. These girls were then judged on the basis of talent.

Mary was one of the 10 finalists selected from this group of 25. She did not know, however, exactly where she ranked in relation to the other nine girls.

Mary, who has had no previous experience at modeling, is in the general curriculum at JC but plans to major in elementary education at the University of Illinois. Mary lists as her major activities as being secretary of both the sophomore class and the Student Senate.

Halloween Dance Sponsored by the Newman Club

The Newman Club will sponsor an all school Halloween dance to be held at the Knights of Columbus Hall on 15100 Page Ave. from 7:30 to 11:00, on Friday, November 1.

The cost will be 50 cents per person and the dress may be either casual or costume.

The faculty is invited. Music will be provided by records and an added attraction will be a new folk singing group from the school.

NO SCHOOL

Attention! all students! In keeping with American tradition there will be no school on Veterans Day, November 11.

We owe our thanks to those who struggled and died that we might have the privilege of living in and being a part of a free society, but let's not stop here. We also owe our veterans a vote of thanks for the fact that in commemorating their struggles and victories we are granted a short but welcome and needed vacation.

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THORNTON JUNIOR COLLEGE, HARVEY, ILLINOIS

Friday, Nov. 1, 1963

Student Senate Sets 1964 Homecoming Date

The Homecoming date for 1964 was approved by the Student Senate Board Monday afternoon at its weekly business meeting. The date of November 7, 1964, was approved for the dance although the homecoming game will be played on Thursday, November 5.

The board had a choice of either Saturday, October 10, for the game and dance or Thursday, November 5, for the game with the dance on Saturday, November 7.

Taking into consideration the amount of planning needed to successfully organize a homecoming weekend the board selected the later date.

Thornton Junior College will play its home games at Thorndike High School next fall because the new physical education facilities for the high school and junior college

won't be ready.

Two home Saturday games will be played early in the season, but the final home dates will be played on Thursday night.

Other action taken by the Student Senate board included the approval of appropriations totaling \$9,650.

Appropriating money to various groups who make formal requests is one of the principal duties of the Student Senate. These funds come from the activity fee every student pays at the beginning of the semester.

The \$3,650 sum is to be divided among two organizations: \$3,500 to the Courier for operating expenses for the year and \$150 to the Drama Society to finance the yearly productions.

Cail Dunker, a sophomore of

Dolton, was elected chairman for the next junior college Cym Jam. The Cym Jam will be held Saturday, November 16, and will feature 'special' added attractions. The Cym Jam will be held from 7:30 to 11 p.m. in the Thornton High School gymnasium.

Plans were discussed to better improve communications between teachers and students. Suggestions for a "community" bulletin board announcing meeting dates, library notices and conference dates were reviewed. Further action will be taken at the next meeting of the Student Senate Board.

Meetings this semester are being held every week. The meetings alternate weekly between Monday afternoon and Tuesday morning. The next meeting will be held Tuesday, November 5, at 7:30 a.m.

'Circle' Will Make History on November 8 and 9

History will be made on the evenings of November 8 and 9 when the Drama Society of Thornton Junior College presents its first play of the '63-64 school year, "The Circle," in a three-quarter round. Formerly, all productions were presented in the auditorium on a permanent stage.

Mr. Howard Heise, sponsor of the TJC Drama Society, recently announced that James Harrop, freshman, has been cast in the leading role as Clive Champion-Chaney. Costarring as Lady Catherine is Sandi Stratman, while Dan Pucinski plays Lord Porteous. Arnold Champion-Chaney will be portrayed by Jerry Miller, Karen Sanford will take the part of Arnold's wife, Elizabeth, and Carol Vander Woule will portray Ann Shennstone.

The story, written by Somerset Maugham, deals with the triangle of Clive Champion-Chaney, Lady Catherine, his wife, and Lord Porteous, her lover.

A humorous situation arises fol-

lowing the marriage of Arnold to the charming Elizabeth, and their residency at Aston-Adley, the family estate; Lady Catherine and Lord Porteous return to England and visit Aston-Adley. Clive, however, also decide to show up. The situation goes from bad to worse when Edward Luton falls in love with Elizabeth, and she runs off with him.

"The Circle" is rich with humor and wit. Tickets go on sale today by cast members. Purchased in advance they will cost \$1 while at the door the price will be \$1.50. Students are urged to purchase their tickets as soon as possible because of the limited seating capacity.



The Junior College Drama Society will present "The Circle" in a three-quarter round November 8 and 9. Rehearsing for the production under the direction of student director Mary Sullivan (far right), are Karen Sanford and Joe Farrell embarking in one of the more tender scenes of the play, while Sandi Stratman and Dan Pucinski look on in astonishment.

Formal Member of Organization

TJC Elected to American Council on Education

Thornton Junior College has been elected to an institutional membership in the American Council on Education it was announced last week.

In a letter from Logan Wilson, president of the Council, to Dr. James D. Logsdon, superintendent of schools in District 205, the junior college was formally accepted as a member of the national organization.

The Council is a voluntary, non-governmental agency of co-operation in American education. Its extended program of activities and studies relates to those problems of educational institutions and organizations.

Membership is nationwide and includes approved universities, colleges, teachers colleges, junior colleges, technological colleges and selected private secondary schools.

The council also includes state departments of education; city school systems and private school systems; selected educational departments of business and industrial companies; voluntary associations of high education and large public libraries.

Thornton Junior College is the fifth junior college in the state of Illinois to be accepted as a member of the council.

The Council has helped serve as a clearing house for the exchange of information and opinion; it has conducted many scien-

tific inquiries and investigations into specific educational problems and has sought to enlist appropriate agencies for the solution of such problems.

It has stimulated experimental activities by institutions and groups of institutions; it has kept in constant touch with pending legislation affecting educational matters; it has pioneered in methodology that has become standard practice on a national basis.

Publications by the council on college and business administration are representative achievements as well as its widely used handbooks, informational reports and many volumes of critical analysis of social and educational problems.

Since its founding in 1918 the council has grown to over 1,100 members. The Council has become the center of cooperation and coordination for the improvement of education at all levels, with particular emphasis on higher education.

The Council operates through its permanent staff and through commissions and committees established to perform specific services. The headquarters of the American Council on Education is located in Washington, D.C.

Outstanding leaders in education head the 26 commissions and committees currently operating in various fields.

Since 1945 the council has broadened and intensified its study of American education, expanded its services to member institutions and to educational institutions in general, and initiated and supported projects designed to promote better international understanding and relations.

Dean Duglar Will Attend Meeting

On November 7 and 8 Mr. Lee Duglar, dean, will attend the Illinois Conference on Higher Education in Monticello, Illinois.

Representatives from colleges all over Illinois will gather to hear reports on the Illinois State Scholarship Program, the work of the State Board of Higher Education, and resolutions for group consideration. Discussion groups will also review the findings of the Master Plan committees of the conference.

Other participants in the conference will include: David Dodds Henry, president of the University of Illinois; Joseph D. Boyd, executive director of the Illinois State Scholarship Commission; and Richard C. Browne, executive director of the Illinois Board of Higher Education.

Every November, during the week which includes Veterans Day, American Education Week is observed throughout the United States. It is a time during which the nation's schools and colleges report to their owners — the general public — about their purposes, methods, achievements, needs, and problems.

American Education Week grew out of the revelation during World War I that an alarming proportion of the American people were illiterate and physically unfit. Representatives of the National Education Association and the newly formed American Legion discussed this problem, and their talks led to the observance, in 1921, of the first American Education Week. This event was part of their plan for attaining a program of education adequate to American needs in the twentieth century.

Since 1922, the observance had also been sponsored by the U.S. Office of Education. In 1938, the National Congress of Parents and Teachers became the fourth national sponsor.

Many other groups participate in the observance of American Education Week. Farm, labor, business, professional, civic, religious, fraternal, service library, welfare, and general cultural organizations cooperate at the state and local levels in planning and financing many AEW activities.

The basic purposes of AEW are to make every American aware of the important role education plays in a democracy and to help him realize that good schools and colleges are opportunities in which he may share.

Specific AEW objectives are to increase public understanding and appreciation of education, to explain today's curriculum, current teaching methods, and modern instructional materials, and to increase public understanding of higher education.

One way in which specific AEW objectives are achieved is by encouraging the public to visit the schools and colleges where accomplishments and problems of American education can be explained. Millions of adults visit schools and colleges annually during American Education Week.

A second way, to reach those who do not visit their schools is by the dissemination of basic information about American education through the various media of mass communication. It is not just coincidence that American Education Week occurs at the time set aside to honor those who fought in America's wars. In a very real way, our schools have helped keep us free, winning our freedom not only on the battlefield but also in our everyday affairs.

If the road to education ever becomes rough and difficult—if it seems that you just won't be able to make it through another day, there is a story that you might do well to remember.

One night, in ancient times, three horsemen were riding across a desert. As they crossed the dry bed of a river, a voice called to them out of the darkness telling them to halt.

They obeyed. The voice then told them to dismount and pick up a handful of the pebbles which lay in the dry stream bed. When they had done as commanded, the voice told them to remount and continue on their way. As they were riding away they were told that because they had

is the road too rough for you?

obeyed, when morning came they would be both glad and sorry. The mystified horsemen rode on.

When the sun rose they reached transformed into diamonds, rubies, and other precious stones.

Then they remembered the prophecy and they were both glad and sorry—glad that they had taken some, but sorry that they had not taken more.

This is the story of education. You may never have the opportunity to turn back again. The vast majority of college drop-outs never return although they fully intend to. Of course, a man's education is never complete, but remember that the happiest man was probably the man who took the largest handful of pebbles.

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Campus Scene

By Tom Girard

How would you like to make \$500 an hour? Don't fall off your chair thinking I am going to explain how to do it. Unless you have the brain power of a Central Data 3600 computer, your chances are pretty slim. At Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan, this computer is working four hours a day at the rate of \$500 an hour. So, if you want to apply for the job, I suggest you read every available encyclopedia from cover to cover. Good luck!

Why do freshmen flunk out? Mr. Donald Zytowski of the student counseling service at Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri, says that it comes from the shock of realizing that they are no longer the high school star, but now are just another face in a crowd of thousands. "Those who cannot admit to themselves that they are not all star they used to be are the ones who stay in shock," he said. "Their grades fall, and at the end of the semester or year they claim that they know they could have done better, but they felt they had to do other jobs that nobody else could do." At TJC you are given the opportunity to become a "junior college star," but don't let the word fool you. Education when you leave here.

There seems to be a new status symbol for fraternities at Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa. It is old fire trucks. This school is like they are taking a fire safety campaign seriously. But I doubt it. The fire trucks have no hoses.

Rockford College in Rockford, Illinois, has announced a new student contract system which guarantees the signer that his tuition will not be increased during his four years in college. The "degree plan," as it is called, enables a student to budget his money for the four years without the fear of a raise in tuition. Under the optional plan, the contract for tuition at the current rate is the same except a slightly higher amount is paid for the first year. Then lesser amounts are paid each succeeding year. Neither plan is mandatory at the college.

Book Fair

By Richard Yonda

One Day in the Life of Ivan Denisovich
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One day from your life or mine is not apt to mean very much to either of us. Most of us would go along with that idea, but not Ivan Denisovich.

Ivan Denisovich is a prisoner in a forced labor camp in Siberia. He is also the central character in Alexander Solzhenitsyn's book, *One Day in the Life of Ivan Denisovich*.

The story appears to be a simple one. It begins and ends, as the title suggests, on a single day in the life of a Soviet citizen named Ivan Denisovich Shukov. The problem he faces on this day is an uncomplicated one; it is simply to get through the day.

This will apparently not be very easy because he awakens feeling sick and feverish, and the temperature outside is 17 degrees below zero.

Shukov, however, is turned down at the infirmary and must spend the day in the cold. He and his squad narrowly miss getting sent to the Socialist Way of Life settlement, which would mean dreadful exposure to the elements. "It lay in open country," he says, "no snow drifts, and before anything else could be done there they would have to dig holes and put up posts and attach barbed wire to them. Wire there was in, so they wouldn't run away. Only there would they start building. There would be only your work to keep you warm."

All in all, Shukov does survive

Instant Culture

By Rick Yonda

Look in the dictionary of only five years ago, however, and the word is notably lacking. Even in the more modern editions where it is defined, its origin is as anonymous as the craft with which it is synonymous.

A loose definition of a folk song (there can be no other kind) is the song whose origin we do not know. However, no matter what the origin, folk music becomes part of the people; the folk are those who have sung it and shaped it with their own characters. So this then is the essence of folk music... a people using music as its own personal expression.

Yet that is not all a folk song is, unlike the current hootenanny craze which, like hula hulas and the twist, will pass away, a folk song has the lasting power. It may convey truth; be a meaningful personal or social or group experience.

In Chicago on Nov. 1 at Orchestra Hall the New Christy Minstrels will make their first Chicago appearance and on Nov. 8 the world famed flamenco guitarist Carlos Montoya will perform there.

It may not exactly come as news to readers of this column but the word "hootenanny" is appearing more and more around town. Three of these albums are HOOT TONIGHT (Warner Brothers 1512) with Bud Dashiell, Lynn Gold, The Gateway Singers, The Phoenix Singers and The Modern Folk Quartet; THE ORIGINAL HOOTENANNY (Crestview CRV-808) with the Lighthouse, Josh White, Theo Bikel, Bob Gibson, Bud and Travis, Oscar Brand, Judy Collins, Ed McGuire, Judy Henske, The Dillards, The Travelers Three, and Will Holt; and ALL-STAR HOOTENANNY (Riverside RS 97539) with Bob Gibson, Sonny Terry, The Gooding Brothers, John Lee Hooker and others.

the rigors of the Siberian climate and the labor camp, and in author Solzhenitsyn's words, "Shukov went to sleep quietly content. He'd had many strokes of luck that day; they hadn't put him in the cells; they hadn't sent his squad to the settlement; he'd swiped a bowl of kasha at dinner; the squad leader had fixed the roses well; he'd built a wall and enjoyed doing it; he'd smuggled that bit of hack-saw blade through; he'd earned a favor from Tsezar that evening; he'd bought that tobacco. And he hadn't fallen ill. He'd gotten over it."

Solzhenitsyn succeeds in *One Day* in making you feel the unshakable cold, and the complete and utter despair of Shukov. He succeeds in relaying the simple, futile, and monotonous horror of the labor-camp system during Stalin's reign.

Information about the author's life is only available through a news release by the official Soviet news agency, Tass.

Solzhenitsyn was born in 1918, a year after the Bolsheviks seized power in Russia. In 1941 he was drafted into the Red army to battle the Nazi threat. He was twice decorated for bravery and then in 1945 was sentenced to eight years' imprisonment on a baseless political charge. It is from these years he draws the story of Ivan Denisovich.

What to do until the psychiatrist comes

By Gerald Compton

Dr. Martin Banks, well known New York psychologist, was the featured speaker at the Illinois Education Association's annual dinner which was held at the Dixie Governor Hotel recently.

The topic of Dr. Banks' address was "How to Get Along With Yourself or What to Do Until the Psychiatrist Comes." Although his address was not packed with humorous anecdotes, it contained many serious facts about mental illness, plus Dr. Banks' own prescription for avoiding mental illness.

Dr. Banks listed the four most basic human needs as the desire for love, the desire for a feeling of importance—recognition, the desire for a mate, and the desire for variety in life. He said that if these desires "Dr. Banks stated, 'we are almost certain to meet with frustrations. When we do, adjustments must be made in our attitudes. Our own adjustments could take might possibly mental illness.'"

Dr. Banks listed ten rules for avoiding insanity as an adjustment to life. Find happiness. Dr. Banks stated that it is impossible to find happiness by looking for it. Like you would look for a lost wallet, that the happiness he was talking about came as a by-product of a useful life. Continue to enlarge your horizons by increasing your knowledge and improving your personality. Be socially well adjusted. Try to get along with others. Be a good person. Be able to make intelligent decisions without worry. Try to attain some measure of moderation. Give most of your attention to the present and the past. New Testament, "Be not concerned about what tomorrow may bring or what yesterday brought."

Have insight into your own conduct. Know what the real reasons are why you behave as you do. Have a confidential relationship with someone else. Remember, sorrow shared is halved; a joy shared is doubled. Have a sense of humor. This is more than just a sense of humor. It implies the ability to be able to laugh at oneself. Try to engage yourself in satisfying work. This supplies the creative interests. 10. Attend your problems promptly and intelligently. "Don't make tragedies of trifles. Don't shoot butterflies with rifles."

In the foreword to Dr. Banks' book, *How to Get Along With Yourself* is the following story which he served to illustrate the point that more needs to be done than to teach to our young people in making intelligent adjustment to life:

Naomi John White once stated, "I have taught in high school for ten years. During that time I have given assignments, among others, to a murderer, an evangelist, a pugilist, a thief and an imbecile. The murderer was quiet boy who sat at the front seat and regarded me with pale blue eyes; the evangelist, easily the most popular boy in the school; had the lead in the junior play; the pugilist lounged by the window and let his arms be thrown about in a rancorous startled even the geraniums; the thief was a gay hearted Lothario with a song on his lips; and the imbecile, a soft-eyed little animal seeking the shadows."

The murderer awaits death in the state penitentiary; the evangelist has lain a year now in the village churchyard; the pugilist has an eye, it is brave in Hout Kong; the thief, by standing on tiptoe, can see the window of man from the county jail; and the once gentle-eyed little moron beat his head against a padded wall in the state asylum.

All of these pupils once sat in my room, sat and looked at me gravely across worn brown desks. I must have given them a great help. They taught them the rhythm scheme of the Elizabethan sonnet and how to diagram a complex sentence."

Homecoming 1963 "That Ole Black Magic"



More than 100 couples of students, faculty and alumni danced to the music of Iver Beurk and his orchestra Saturday night at the Homecoming Dance. "That Ole Black Magic" was the theme for the semi-formal dance.



Crowned queen and king for the 1963 Thornton Junior College Homecoming were Gail Dunker and Jim Massick. The two reigned over the Homecoming Ball Saturday night.



Enjoying the refreshments served at the Homecoming Ball are sophomore Dan Fox and freshman Janice Weeden. They were part of more than 100 couples to enjoy the homecoming dance held in the TTHS gymnasium.

King Jim and Queen Gail led off the dancing following their coronation Saturday night.



"Queen Gail Dunker!" announced the master of ceremonies Bill Sobieski. The new 1963 TJC Homecoming queen is overwhelmed with joy while members of her court Kathy Hagen, Nancy Schluetter and Marilyn Lau share her happiness.



Last year's queen Nancy Godin and last year's Student Senate president Bob Bus crowned this year's royalty Gail Dunker and Jim Massick.



A new game? No, these Thornton Junior College students are looking for a contact lens lost by Sherma Ebars while twisting at the Homecoming Ball. Sawdust spread on the floor made it impossible to find contact lens.

The Bonfire Burned But the Bulldogs Bungled



To kick off the homecoming weekend a combined pep rally and bonfire was held Friday night on the TJC baseball field, 149th and Ashland. More than 150 students participated in the event.



The outcome of the homecoming football game wasn't the happiest part of the weekend as the TJC Bulldogs bowed to Wilson, 26-13. Cheerleader Marilyn Lau registers her sorrow as the Raiders score another touchdown against the TJC defense.

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It was Dad's Day at the annual Homecoming game Saturday. The fathers of the players were introduced at halftime as well as one mom. The fathers and mom ground down to show the Courier photographer that they're ready to go in anytime.



Each player on the Junior College team was introduced during the halftime presentation. A special arc was constructed at the Thornton goal post by the cheerleaders. As each player was introduced he was joined by his father. Jim Withey, freshman quarterback, runs through the arc in photo above. In photo at left TJC cheerleader Kathy Hagen registers the outcome of the game as the final gun sounds—defeat.



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A funeral service for Wilson was held by the TJC cheerleaders before the game, but two hours later when the final gun sounded it was the Bulldogs who had been buried. Wilson scored an upset, 26-13, victory over the Bulldogs.



Providing the 'beat' at the Thornton Junior College football games for the cheering section this season has been Mr. Joe Michor.



Wilson's victory over Thornton last Saturday was the first for the Raiders since 1954. Thornton head coach Petro Schloss has a few congratulatory words for Wilson head coach.



"Don't give up!" yells cheerleader Betty Sells as her Bulldogs fall behind Wilson, 26-13. The defeat was the third of the season for Thornton.

From The Press Box

By Mike Jerding

Football season is rapidly drawing to a close and the final game of this season this year could possibly be the best game of the campaign. Thornton's opponent is its inter-state rival Grand Rapids. Last year TJC went to upstate Michigan to lose 13-0 in front of a home crowd that was reportedly not very hospitable. The treatment the Bulldogs got was, in fact, rough. Grand Rapids has always been a formidable foe and TJC has seldom won, but in front of a home crowd we might shave down the Bulldogs a little. One thing sure, Bulldogs partisans will behave in a manner fitting the school.

It will be hard to imagine the immortal Yogi Berra as a big league manager. In fact, there are those who will say emphatically that he can't make good. It is true he was a member of the team and a pal of everyone and that he (was) a first-class prankster. But it is also true that the Yankees front office would not offer such an important job to an individual whom they think could not do the job. Yogi will see through in the pinch. It's his nature.

Basketball will be king in a few weeks and Mr. Don Williams expects thousands of his eagles this year. Five returning lettermen will dot the Bulldog roster and a tougher schedule should prepare the eagles for the tourney at the end of the season.

Real basketball fans will want to take note of this tougher schedule. The Bulldogs have since there will be very few 100-point games. About every game promises to be close and hotly contested. This is exactly what real basketball fans enjoy.

The Men's Club bowling league seems to be in a bit of trouble because only a handful of bowlers showed up for the first few outings. Chairman Ed Adams and Bill Stank think that many junior college students have been misinformed about the league. It is strictly a junior league, not an open league. Any interested kieglers should support the league or it may dissolve.

Raiders Ruin Homecoming; Hand Bulldogs 3rd Defeat

The Raiders of Wilson Junior College ruined homecoming for the C Bulldogs last Saturday afternoon scoring a 26-13 victory. The team not only knocked the Bulldogs below .500 mark, but head coach Pete Schloss failed to record his 50th career victory at TJC.

Defeat dropped Thornton to a 1-1 overall record and was the first loss to Wilson since 1954. Actually Wilson hadn't scored point off the Bulldogs in five years dating back to 1959. Misses played the major role in the home as Wilson turned three C fumbles into scoring drives. After this year the two teams are set to a 0-0 deadlock.

The Raiders scored first after getting a Bulldog fumble from the yard line in four plays. Marty Jolly scored the Raider touchdown with a 25-yard pass to Dan Fox. The TD and Doug Holloway kicked the extra point.

Thornton came right back on the next series of downs for their first first down. Dan Fox tossed a 24-yard pass to end, Walt Kowalczyk, the TD and Doug Holloway kicked the extra point.

Thornton moved to the Wilson yard early in the second but third fumble gave Wilson possession of the ball. Wilson moved up into Thornton territory but failed to give back the ball. The Bulldogs moved 68 yards in the drive with Bob Goldie racing the final four yards for the touchdown. The extra point failed with Thornton trailing 14-13.

The winners scored a pair of touchdowns in the fourth quarter to win the victory. Quarterback Dan Fox passed to Kelly for one touchdown and then plunged one yard for the final score.

C Ranked 20th

The Bulldogs of Thornton Junior College were ranked 20th in the nation last week. Following a 18-0 victory over Joliet, the Bulldogs rose to 20th in a poll of college football teams throughout the nation.

At the time of the poll Thornton had a 2-2-1 record and had 1-2-1 in Illinois Junior College conference play.

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Thornton Seeks Third Victory

The Thornton Junior College Bulldogs will be seeking winning ways this afternoon when they travel to Berwyn to meet Morton Junior College. Kickoff time will be 3:30 p.m. on the Morton football gridiron, 2400 South Harlem.

A victory this afternoon will put the Bulldogs at the .500 mark for the season. Defeat last Saturday afternoon dropped the Bulldogs to a 2-3-1 overall record.

Earlier this season Morton defeated Thornton, 28-18, behind a strong second half scoring drive. Thornton winds up its 1963 grid campaign Saturday, November 9, hosting Grand Rapids, Michigan.

In the five year old series between the two schools Thornton has never won. Last year the Blazers of Grand Rapids scored a 13-0 victory over the Bulldogs.

Head coach Pete Schloss has been working with a squad composed mainly of underclassmen this season. Only two remaining lettermen in sophomores Dan Fox and Morris Johnson reported this fall along with 36 freshmen candidates.

Bulldog Statistics

(Team Totals)	TJC	OPP
First Downs	78	55
Yards Rushing	1147	739
Yards Passing	313	634
Total Yards	1460	1373
Passes Attempted	63	83
Passes Completed	27	28
Passes Held Intercepted	1	6
Fumbles (lost)	23-17	13-8
Yards Penalized	245	270

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	O	Yds	Av
Fencil	123	973	6.9
Holloway	47	222	4.7
Aggen	44	129	2.9
Booker	39	119	4.0
Pacora	3	45	6.0
Morris	6	12	2.4
Wheary	3	80	1.3
Fox	3	16	5.3
Kolton	1	0	0

(Passing)	Att	Comp	Int	Yds
Fox	11	3	0	37
Wheary	1	0	0	0

(Pass Receiving)	Rec'd	Yards
Goldie	14	143
Kowalczyk	9	166
DeVries	2	13
Fencil	1	4
Aggen	1	-2

(Scoring)	TD	PAT	TP
Fencil	5	2	32
Aggen	3	0	18
Holloway	1	2	8
Booker	1	0	6
Goldie	1	0	6
Pacora	0	2	0
Fox	0	2	0
Automatic safety	0	0	2

JC Will Play Home Games at Thornridge

Thornton Junior College will play its home games at Thornridge High School in Dolton next fall. It was announced earlier this week. The Bulldogs will play four home games on the Thornridge gridiron.

New physical education facilities being planned for Thornton Junior College and High School will not be completed next fall. The current football field will house a new fieldhouse while Buda Gym will become the site of the new football stadium.

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Golfers End Perfect Season

The Linkamers of Thornton Junior College ended the season Friday, Oct. 25, with a conference meet and came away with a co-championship of the Northern Illinois junior college conference.

Thornton went into Friday's meet with a regular season record of 11 wins and no defeats, but final outcome of league standings is determined also by conference meet results. Morton had an excellent showing in the meet to tie

TJC for league honors. Next year's golf picture seems to be bright as three of coach Bob Anderson's top golfers are expected to return.

Regular Season Results

TJC	0-0	Morton	0-0
TJC	11	Wheat	4
TJC	11	Bloom	4
TJC	10-0	Levens	4-0
TJC	11	Amundsen	1
TJC	11-0	Levens	3-0
TJC	8-0	Joliet	0-0
TJC	10	Elgin	0
TJC	9	Moline	0
TJC	11	Bloom	4



Members of the Thornton Junior College golf team captured a tie for first place in the Illinois Junior College golf tournament. Pictured kneeling (left to right) are Ron Crapek, Bob Podgorski and Ray Crapek. Standing (left to right) are Dennis Swenson, coach Bob Anderson and Bill Wojniakowski.

The 1964 junior college football schedule is:

- Saturday, Sept. 26 — Wheaton (Home)
- Friday, Oct. 2 — Joliet (Away)
- Saturday, Oct. 10 — Morton (Home)
- Saturday, Oct. 17 — Grand Rapids (Away)
- Thursday, Oct. 22 — Wilson (Home)
- Friday, Oct. 30 — Wright (Away)
- Thursday, Nov. 5 — Joliet (Home)
- Saturday, Nov. 14 — Morton (Away)

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Rand's Disciple Supports Philosophy of Objectivism

By Doug Smith

"Atheism is the only position compatible with reason," said Nathaniel Branden, noted author, lecturer and psychologist as he gave the first of a series of lectures in the Chicago area entitled "Basic Principles of Objectivism: The Philosophy of Ayn Rand" on October 11, 1968, at the Hotel Knickerbocker in Chicago. Miss Rand is the author of *The Fountainhead*, *Atlas Shrugged* and *For the New Intellectual*.

"If I were asked to summarize the philosophy of Objectivism in a single sentence," said Mr. Branden, "I would say that Objectivism holds:

a) that existence, reality, the external world, is what it is, independent of man's consciousness, independent of anyone's knowledge, judgment, beliefs, hopes, wishes or fears — that facts are facts, that A is A, that things are what they are;

b) that reason, the faculty that identifies and integrates the material provided by man's senses, is fully competent to know the facts of reality;

c) that man's perception of the facts of reality must constitute the basis of his value-judgments, that just as reason is his only guide to knowledge, so it is his only guide to action;

d) that man is an end in himself, not a means to the ends of others, he must live for his own sake with the achievement of his rational self-interest as his moral purpose of his life, neither sacrificing himself to others nor sacrificing others to himself;

e) that no one has the right to seek values from others by the initiation of physical force;

f) that the politico-economic expression of these principles is laissez-faire capitalism, a system based on the inviolate supremacy of individual rights, in which the exclusive function of government is the protection of rights;

g) that the absence of these principles from men's minds and actions is responsible for the present state of the world."

"In opposition to the neo-mystics who preach that reality is unknowable, that reason is impotent, that morality is a matter of faith and force, with self-sacrifice as its standard and a collectivist dictatorship as its goal," said Mr. Branden, "objectivism holds that reality exists as an objective absolute, that morality is a rational science, with man's life as its standard, self-interest as its goal, individual happiness as its goal, and a free society as its consequence."

Mr. Branden, reflecting the ideas and attitudes of Ayn Rand, believes that reason should be the tool of mankind, not faith as the mystic would like it to be. "Aristotle is the father of logic; for he believed that man's consciousness is valid and that reality exists — that which distinguishes between intelligence and instincts; however, with the fall of Rome, Aristotle was virtually unheard of for the next ten centuries. In these ten centuries the mystics preached that man's mind is impotent and that reality is unknowable," Saint Augustine said," pointed out Mr. Branden, "to see is the lust of the eyes." If this is so, surely this is the most chaste period of man." Branden

went on to say that mysticism exists only through arbitrary powers and political force.

Branden contends that the mystics rely on instincts and faith because he feels man is impotent to know; therefore, a moral vacuum is created where there is nothing left for man except natural destruction.

In Branden's form of thinking, objective reality is independent of one's consciousness, whereas, "subjective reality" is dependent on one's consciousness. To say, "what is true for you is not true for me is subjective reality." Coffee is good for you, but coffee is not good for me is subjective reality. The thing in question, points out Mr. Branden, is not whether coffee is good for you or not, but that coffee is of me and it is of you. That is to say, whether coffee is for someone or not is insignificant, but that coffee is coffee, A is A, reality is reality. Reason, not mysticism, believes Branden, is the tool of knowledge.

Mr. Branden told his audience that he believed in laissez-faire capitalism; labor union should be abolished and that minimum wage laws should be destroyed. His contention for this is that minimum wage laws and labor unions deprive management from making decisions, profits to expand; this causes unemployment and a low standard of living.

When asked what to do with people on APC and dependent upon charity, Branden said, "You may help them, but don't ask me to help." Believing that man is an end in himself, not a means to the ends of others one can understand this belief.

Mr. Branden advocated Mr. Goldwater for the Presidency because he thought Goldwater had a better foreign policy than President Kennedy, but he conceded that Kennedy had a more impressive domestic policy.

YMCA Initiates Tutoring Program

A grade school tutoring program is being initiated by Thornton Junior College in cooperation with the Harvey YMCA.

Jim Aull, coordinator of the program and secretary for college and university work at the Harvey YMCA, said, "This is a program whereby junior college students tutor grade school students who are having trouble primarily in the area of reading skills."

The training program for the perspective tutors will start November 2 and last about two weeks. Only students with C averages or better will be accepted.

Invite All Students To Smorgasboard

The "Farmer's Market" will be at Thornton Junior College Tuesday, November 19 in the cafeteria from 4:30 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. This free smorgasboard, open to all TJC students, is B.A.'s a co-ed sorority, monthly project.

The planned menu is hot beef on bun, potato salad, baked beans, jello molds, pumpkin pie, apple slices, coffee and milk. Entertainment for the evening will be carving pumpkins for the men and square dancing, if the p.a. system works, for the men and women.

Special guests and chaperones are Miss Adelaide Childs, Dr. J. D. Logsdon, Dean Duglar, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Schloss, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Kee, Mr. and Mrs. Williams, Gail Dunner, Wayne Marley, Karen Callanan, Neal Franklin and Judy Krause.

Corn stalks and pumpkins will decorate the posts and cornucopias filled with flowers will decorate the tables.

School clothing will be the appropriate dress.

MID-TERM EXAMS THIS WEEK

Mid-term exams started this week and will be in progress again next week. Most departments have set days for the tests but some instructors plan the test according to the individual class schedule.

There are always some students who plan to cram the night before their exam. The easier and simpler way to study for the test is weeks before with a little review each night.

Not only does this help the student to get his sleep, but it also helps the facts to sink into his brain. Now isn't the time to study because studying should have been done for the last seven weeks. But now is the best time for reviewing what should have been learned.

Letter to the Editor


To the Student Body and Faculty Members:

The Student Senate wishes to thank all those who contributed their time and energy in preparing for our Homecoming Weekend.

We of the Student Senate are pleased with the results of the bonfire-pep rally, the game and coronation dance. Without your help and cooperation these events would not have been the success they were.

Thank you again
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Yearbook Pictures of Clubs Set for Friday, November 1

Yearbook pictures of clubs and organizations at Thornton Junior College will be taken Friday, November 1. Students who are officers or board members should report to the designated place at the proper time for the pictures.

Students are reminded that they are to report to their class and then are to return after the pictures are taken.

Schedule for the yearbook pictures is:

8:00 a.m.	Freshman Class Officers	Union Ro
8:10 a.m.	Sophomore Class Officers	Union Ro
8:25 a.m.	Coed Club Officers	Coed Ro
8:35 a.m.	Coed Council	Coed Ro
8:45 a.m.	Sorority Leaders	Coed Ro
8:55 a.m.	Alpha Sorority	Coed Ro
9:05 a.m.	Beta Sorority	Coed Ro
9:25 a.m.	Gamma Sorority	Coed Ro
9:35 a.m.	Delta Sorority	Coed Ro
9:45 a.m.	Epsilon Sorority	Coed Ro
9:55 a.m.	Kappa Sorority	Coed Ro
10:05 a.m.	Zeta Sorority	Coed Ro
10:25 a.m.	Eta Sorority	Coed Ro
11:25 a.m.	Student Senate Officers	Trophy Ro
11:35 a.m.	Student Senate Board	Trophy Ro
11:45 a.m.	Men's Club Officers and Board	Trophy Ro
11:55 a.m.	French Club	Trophy Ro
12:05 p.m.	Spanish Club	Trophy Ro
12:25 p.m.	German Club	Trophy Ro
12:35 p.m.	Drama Club Officers	Trophy Ro
12:55 p.m.	Lambda Epsilon Officers	Trophy Ro
12:55 p.m.	Education Club Officers	Trophy Ro
1:05 p.m.	Student Election Commission	Trophy Ro
1:25 p.m.	Circle K Club Officers	Trophy Ro
1:35 p.m.	Newman Club Officers	Trophy Ro
1:45 p.m.	Inter-Varsity Officers	Trophy Ro
1:55 p.m.	Lettermen's Club Officers	Trophy Ro
2:05 p.m.	Bowling Club Officers	Trophy Ro
2:35 p.m.	Caldron Staff Members	Trophy Ro
2:45 p.m.	Courier Staff Members	Courier Of
2:55 p.m.	Choral Club Officers	Union Ro

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Language Clubs Elect Officers For This Year

Foreign Language Clubs of Thornton Junior College recently held their election of officers. Results of the election held by the students of German Club are: President, Francis Kelly; Vice-president, Robert Vogel; both freshmen; Secretary, Ken Brown, sophomore; Treasurer, Fred Heise, freshman; and program chairman, Bill Dotter, freshman. French students elected Sandy Winter, president; James Withey vice-president; Lauren Noetzel, secretary-treasurer, all freshmen, and Allen Knudsen, sophomore, sergeant-at-arms. Students of Spanish elected Clark Hallman, sophomore, president; Roy Powers, freshman, vice-president; and William Gedau, sophomore, secretary-treasurer. All officers of the clubs met together on November 20 to make plans for the annual Christmas Party.

Final Convocation Held; Lambda Epsilon Initiates

On November 6 the faculty and student body of Thornton Junior College assembled for the second and final convocation of the current academic year.

The TJC band began the ceremonies with a bright rendition of "The Washington Post March," under the direction of Mr. Lyle Hopkins, music instructor.

TJC's answer to Mitch Miller, the TJC Concert Choir, under the direction of Mr. Kent Newbury, was next on the program. The fifty voice choir sang three selections from their Christmas Concert.

The formal initiation of the new members into the junior college scholastic honor society, Lambda Epsilon, followed. Mr. Paul Godwin, mathematics and physics instructor, and sponsor of the organization, announced that in addition to the 15 new members of Lambda Epsilon six former members were to be awarded gold keys as a symbol of their continued academic excellence.

In order to be eligible for the golden keys, a student must first enter into the society by

Thornton Hosts Dr. Evelyn Duvall

Dr. Evelyn Duvall, executive secretary of the National Council of Family Relations and former director of the workshop on family research at the University of Chicago, will address the Thornton Township High School and Junior College PTA on November 26.

The topic of Dr. Duvall's address will be "Know Your Teen Ager." Her address will deal with such questions as the difficulties young people meet in trying to establish a confidential relationship with their parents, and the problems encountered when a teenager tries to act as an individual rather than a member of the herd.

Dr. Duvall, with her husband, writes a syndicated feature entitled "Let's Explore Your Mind". She holds a Ph.D. from the University of Chicago and includes among her more significant activities being a member of the American Association of Marriage Counselors and a regional consultant for the American Institute of Family Relations.

earning fifty-eight (58) grade points during their first semester and by maintaining fifty-three grade points for each succeeding semester. Sophomores who received the keys were: Thomas Girard, Dennis Erickson, Sue Davor, Patricia McCauley, Jean Malkowski and Linda Novak.

After a short speech given by each of the key recipients, outlining the goals and the purpose of the organization, the 15 new members of Lambda Epsilon received their pins. The sophomores were: Robert Bender, Neal Franklin, Alan Haan, Donna Hallet, Mary Ann Johnson, James Keeney, Thomas Kermagis, Gerald Paulson, Nancy Sue Pavlak, Lorna Ellen Propp, Peter Wasilkoff, Janice Yates, William Zimmerman, and Mary Zuber.

Concluding the assembly was a brief scene from the Drama Society's production "The Circle."

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It's Coming! "The Sleighbell Ball"

"The Circle" Draws Capacity Audiences

By Aldon Angus-Compton

The Circle, Somerset Maugham's British drawing-room comedy presented a fortnight ago by the Thornton Junior College Drama Society, played to capacity houses both nights of performance.

Presented in the "three-quarter round" in Room 109, *The Circle* could have been the most enjoyable evening of live theatre had all of the performers lived up to their necessary characterization.

Jerry Miller, Sandi Stratman, and Dan Plucinski ran away with the acting honors in the show. Miller's portrayal of the stolid, stodgy, and very British gentleman of the old school was superbly done. Through a clever burlesque portrayal of Lady Kitty, Sandi Stratman, brought to the show the proper touch of lightness; and Dan Plucinski's character of Lord Porcous, the child in man's clothing, accounted for much of the laughter from the audience. If a single performance can be counted as outstanding when the role is "sure-fire," Mr. Plucinski excelled.

Jim Harrop, as Clive Champion-Chaney, seemed not to be able to manage the accent of the upper class Englishman. While his acting was more than adequate, his characterization was lost in the shuffle. Joe Farrell, who played Elizabeth's lover, Edward Luton, seemed to have difficulty with projection. Often his lines were a blur, but because of the nature of his character in the play the whole thing seemed plausible. Karen Sanford, as Lady Elizabeth, read her lines with the proper amount of disdain for the play, the characters on stage, and the audience.

Certainly a great deal of planning and work went into the production. Mr. Howard Heise's direction merits a high degree of praise when one considers the conditions under which the play had to be performed.

Yes, it is coming! The posters you have seen throughout the week in the halls are announcing the annual Men's Club Winter dance, "Sleighbell Ball".

The dance will be December 14, at Hickory Hills Country Club, 8201 W. 95th Street in Oak Lawn. Beginning at 8:00 P.M., it will last until 11:30 P.M.

Deltas Sponsor Christmas Dinner

"Santa Comes to JC" on Tuesday, Dec. 17 in the cafeteria at 5:30 p.m. He arrives early this year to attend a buffet dinner to be given by the Delta sorority of the Coed Club. All TJC women, female instructors, wives of the male instructors, and the nurses are invited.

After the surprise Christmas dinner, the sorority girls will present a skit to entertain the guests, and then everyone will join in the singing of Christmas carols.

A decorated Christmas tree, wreaths, the college bulldog, and the appearance of Santa with presents will add to the holiday mood.

The women are asked by Delta to dress up and wear heels. A \$1 deposit, which will be returned after the dinner, will be collected when the women sign their names to attend the dinner.

TJC Is Subject of Team Survey

The campus of Thornton Junior College was visited last week by a community college survey team from Rockford, Illinois.

The building committee of the survey team studied building facilities at Thornton to see what might be beneficial to a proposed junior college in Rockford. Northern Illinois University Consultant, Mr. Henry Yankow, said, "this is only a preliminary activity since the college is still in the early planning stages."

After studies of Thornton and other junior colleges are completed, a report of the findings will be published. Voters in the Rockford community will then decide if there should be a junior college established.

Tickets for this semi-formal occasion will be on sale starting Monday, November 25, and continuing until the day of the dance for \$2.50 a couple. Music will be provided by the Rhythmairs, a 12-piece band.

According to Bill Swanson, general chairman of the dance, the dance committee and the Men's Club board have been working hard for the past two months to make this a successful dance and to entertain everyone who attends.

"This is definitely going to be a better dance than in the past," said Bill, "because of many factors, including the excellent accommodations and the large band."

"I want to extend a special invitation to all freshmen to attend the first away from school semi-formal dance during the present school year," Bill added. "I am thoroughly convinced that the students and faculty of TJC will enjoy themselves immensely."

Also on the dance committee are Jack Grzesik, Eddie Adams, Dan Fox, and Don Cureton.

The Men's Club has been putting up posters, banners, and passing out handbills to publicize the dance. In addition, a three-hour tape recording of folk music and information on the dance will be played in the Union Room during the next three weeks. Publicity chairman is Dennis Kunka.

Exodus

It may not be necessary to say, now that mid-term grades are out, but December 13 is the last day to withdraw from class with a passing grade. Though some probably have flunked to avoid the rush, it is advisable that you withdraw now while you have a chance for a mark other than an "E."



TJC's Concert Choir rehearses before the second, and final, convocation of the current school year. Under the direction of Mr. Kent Newbury, the choir sang three selections

from its Christmas Concert. The Christmas Concert will be performed in the Thorndike High School auditorium on Friday evening, December 18, at 8 p.m.

Thanksgiving has long been characterized as a day for giving thanks for the things we are so fortunate to have. There have been many general references as to what everyone should be thankful for, but there has been little said as to why, specifically, we, as junior college students, should give thanks.

We should be grateful to our parents for enabling us to attend college. Some take this education for granted since it is in our back yard. Too many students feel they are being deprived of a real education by attending a junior college. This is wrong. Facilities at Thornton are tops in the country, and TJC students are welcomed at any university.

thank those who provide

A second bit of thanks should be extended to our instructors for the devotion to their work. Theirs is no easy job. Every day instructors face new challenges in relationships with students. One student may not do his work, another may not pay attention in class, or another may harass him with disrespectful remarks. The instructor will put up with all these conditions in order to help those who want to learn.

Let us not forget God at a time of thanksgiving. Whatever your religion may be, pause a few moments to thank God for your mental, spiritual, and physical possessions.

As you sit down to Thanksgiving Day dinner, remember to thank those who make possible your education at TJC.

Much has been written about the opportunities which are available to the college graduate. However, these golden opportunities are not available to the shirker, the indolent, procrastinating, luxuriating student who is unwilling to "lay childish things aside" and assume the responsibilities which go hand in hand with the privilege of being permitted to attend college.

If you are going to college with any other purpose in mind than to get an education, you don't belong there. You are wasting the time of your instructors, the other students, and you are wasting your own time. If you are

why are you in college?

there for the social life, the athletic program, because you don't want to have to go to work, or because its a "fun" place to be, then you are a liability

which the students who are there to get an education can not afford.

If you are in college because the degrees you hope to receive will be an impressive status symbol, there are others who need the space far more than you need it.

Getting an education is a serious matter and one not to be taken lightly. We would not attempt to dissuade anyone who is earnestly trying to get an education from going to college. However, if your reasons correspond with any of these mentioned above, you have no place in college.

In a recent bulletin to students, Dean Dulgar requested that junior college students stay out of high school halls unless they are on school business. He also stated that students should not attend high school assemblies.

These two requests are certainly within reason. When TJC students roam the high school, they create a distraction at most every room they pass. This is annoying to both teachers and students.

let's all be college students

In regard to attending high school assemblies, there is no need for this either. A constant moan of the college student is "I don't

want to be treated like I was still in high school." Why, then, do they persist in going places where they must behave as a high school student?

TJC allows plenty of freedom to students when they do not have classes. There are many other areas around campus where students can go at any time. It is not necessary for junior college men and women to prowl about the high school.

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Tom Jones is, in the main, the result of the efforts of director Tony Richardson (*Long Distance Runner; A Taste of Honey; The Innocents*) and writer John Osborne (*Look Back in Anger; The Entertainer*). The cast includes Albert Finney (*Saturday Night and Sunday Morning*) as Tom, Hugh Griffith as Squire Western, Susannah York as Sophia Western (the Squire's daughter), Dame Edith Evans as Miss Western (the Squire's sister) and Joan Greenwood as Lady Bellaston.

The film is based on the novel by Henry Fielding. It's Tom's story: his questionable parentage; his upbringing in the country by Squire Allworthy; his love for Sophia Western; his travels and trip to London; his love-making with Lady Bellaston, with Molly Seagrain (Diane Cilento), daughter of Squire Allworthy's gamekeeper, and with Mrs. Waters (Joyce Redman); his narrow escape from a bad end in London; and his final and triumphant good end and marriage to his true love.

Campus Scene

By Tom Girard

Beginning in the fall of 1964, Beloit College, Beloit, Wisconsin, will switch from the traditional eight terms of undergraduate study to nine terms. The academic year will be divided into three 15-week terms. Each entering class will be required to spend three consecutive terms on campus as "underclassmen." The next five terms, in which the students will be known as "mid-classmen," will be spent both on and off campus.

Want to stop smoking? Reports from Lehigh University, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, offer a very plausible plan. First, write down reasons for wanting to give up smoking. Then, switch to a brand you do not like. Hold off as long as you can between cigarettes. Once down to seven cigarettes a day, set a date when you will stop completely. See how easy it is!

Results of a freshman English experiment at Union College, Schenectady, New York, show that the typical student entering college is not mature enough to carry out a program of independent study. The experiment involved 116 students who attended freshman English classes six times during the spring semester and spent the remaining time in independent study. Thirteen students improved their grades, but 81 earned lower grades than they did the fall semester.

After a two-year trial, officials of Eastern Illinois University, Charleston, have reached a temporary compromise with students who graduate in the lowest third of their classes may enter only on probation, and not in the fall semester.

Students at Western Kentucky State College, Bowling Green, Kentucky, have a way of getting another student's class standing.

The freshman wears his sweatshirt every chance he gets. It is brand new.

The sophomore's sweatshirt is a bit faded. The letters often run, causing it to disclose.

The junior is often seen in class in a sweatshirt turned inside-out.

The sweatshirt is the senior's uniform. However, the letters are so faded he no longer bothers to turn it inside-out.

It is all intended to show a rude and healthy age. It is intended to be a reproach to our own narrow broad age; and it should be vigorous (there are eating and drinking scenes; and hunting scenes; and just plain sporting and rolling in the mud; and a wild track, and a clean. But the film is arch, sophisticated 1963 bawdiness; and it is supremely self-conscious.

If, in a film of this kind, the suspicion should ever arise that the characters know what they are doing, then the magic is gone. The film must transport us.

Richardson pulls out all the stops on his technique; helicopter shots, freeze frames, a hand-held camera, a wild track, and a film and the film becomes in a way, a presentation, which it should not be; rather than a suspension, which it should be. There is a sequence in which we follow the wedding of Tom and Sophia. A kind of pastoral sweetness is required; and if ever a lack of self-consciousness is called for, this is the sequence. But there is Richardson all over the place; and as a result, the lovers aren't in love. In addition to everything else, the music is unnaturally undisturbed.

There is a rather nice scene when Tom and Mrs. Waters have dinner with each other, as a preliminary to an evening together. They seem to make love while they dine, and it is all very amusing. You may reread the original scene in the novel (pages 432-6 in the Modern Library Edition) and you will see how Richardson catches the attractive coarseness of Mrs. Waters and the easy susceptibility of Tom.

There is a danger in the review of this kind to believe the point. Let me be brief: the picture was a bore. I know everyone in the film seemed to be having fun; but it's a little like coming late to a party. Griffith is not bad as the country squire, but he overpowers every scene, while, on the other hand, Dame Edith Evans and Joan Greenwood are on two quidnoses, and what style they have is under wraps.

The thing is: this is unquestionably a contemporary movie and it is all there appears to be a knowledge and a consciousness which is not entirely in accord with what is going on in the film. Richardson has taken a long step backwards.

Mrs. Schloss Is Named Suburban Homemaker

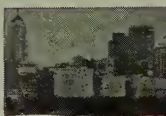
Mrs. Pauline Schloss, wife of Thornton coach Pete Schloss, was recently chosen Suburban Homemaker of the year in the local contest. The contest is sponsored by the Suburban Press Foundation. Winners of the local contests will compete in a national contest, the judging of which will be held at the Drake Hotel next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Schloss reside with their four sons in South Holland. Mrs. Schloss was chosen for her ability as a homemaker and the many contributions she has made to the community. She was nominated for the honor by the Harvey Jewish Woman's Club.

Students of the junior college know Mrs. Schloss as an instructor for she conducts a weekly class in physical fitness. She also aids her husband as sponsor of the Newman Club and she is often seen with him at the TJC's social events.

Instant Culture

By Rick Yonda



Of the many new records every day very few rise out of the mass to become popular. Our record album is *The Singing* (Philips 3398) with the single Soupir Soupire, a Dominican song in a Belgian accent.

If you have listened to it all at all in the last several years you have probably heard it. It is a very simple, but brilliant voice accompanying itself on the guitar, singing she wrote to me, she comes.

There is an interesting behind this record of instant culture. Besides the fact that the tune is in French, it was originally intended for such distribution. But when the singing company heard Soupir Soupire's pure and strong voice decided to give it to the world's enjoyment of this record is as and I highly recommend it.

Last Thursday WBKB (Ch. 7) showed a program entitled *Glass House*. The subject was little sins in our lives, the on-bury under the filth of self-consciousness and conformity is "Everyone does it."

Some of the more poignant subjects were... an office gathering paper clips, stamping one company supplies into envelopes to use for himself, a man, after a car accident suading a mechanic to fix older dents and then charging to the insurance company bill a man leaving a hotel with hotel's bath towel tucked into his briefcase... and the cynical of all, a man put through a red light knowing then denying it to a policeman front of his Boy Scout son.

Doubtless, many will come to steal under their veil of apathy.

The second annual Chicago Arts festival, which started Tuesday, will run until this day in McCormick Place.

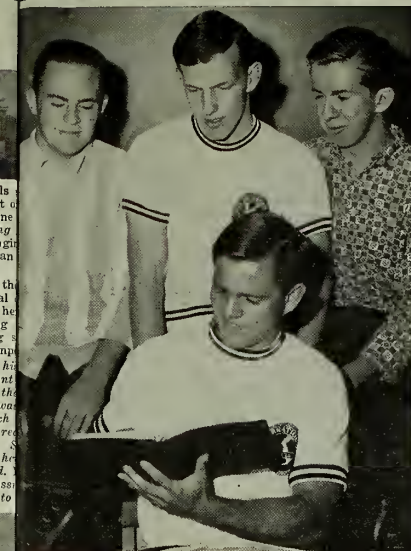
The festival, billed as the est professional arts show in town, will offer a cornucopia of smorgasbord of art under roof. More than 900 artists, teachers, dancers, musicians and photographers will take some 75,000 spectators are expected to attend.

Festival offerings will include fine arts exhibits, dance, dramatic performances, lectures and demonstrations.

One of the primary purposes of the festival, officials say, is show Chicagoans how rich city is in artistic resources.

Fenger Graduates

A picture for your high school yearbook will be taken this year, November 25, at 8 a.m. in the Union Room. Your cooperation will be greatly appreciated in being present for this session.



Looking on as Neal Franklin studies his script are Wayne Marley, Tom Kelly, Dennis Johnson. They were four of the Circle K members participating in the Club play "Variety is the Spice." Don Cureton, not pictured, also had a part in the production.

VARIETY IS THE SPICE"

Circle K Members Actively Participated

On the evenings of November 1 and 2, the Kiwanis Club of Harvey presented its third annual variety show, "Variety is the Spice."

The Circle K Club of TJC, sponsored by the Kiwanis, took an active part in the presentation of this program with many of its members participating in the show as performers, ushers, and stage hands.

According to Neal Franklin, president of the Circle K, "Those members who didn't attend the play had a tremendous show. It was a real tribute to the work the Circle K has been doing. It is also indicative of the type of students in the Circle K and the work they did for the community through the show."

Neal also stated that the money raised through the show would go to the Kiwanis.

Those participating in the show included Wayne Marley and Neal Kelly, who were in a skit about Columbus. Tom Kelly portrayed a Roman soldier in "Cleopatra," a spoof on Cleopatra and Mark Antony. These students, in addition to Don Cureton and Dennis Johnson, also played sailors in several musical numbers.

The ushers from Circle K for Friday and Saturday evenings were Jim Massick, Tom Girard, Mark Magaldi, Mike Jernling, Dennis Delanty, Bill Swanson, Jack Grzesik, Casey Skorpinski, Arnold Zweifel, and Paul Bentley. Sam Belmonti worked as a stage hand.

A Day Worth Much

One day in class, according to the students who work out these figures, is worth \$240 for a college student. The average college graduate earns \$175,000 more in his lifetime than a high school graduate, or about \$44,000 more for each year of college, roughly \$240 a day.

Projecting this idea a little further, we can readily see why we are discouraged from cutting classes. There are 8 periods in a day, so a matter of simple arithmetic discloses that each time we cut a class it is \$40 down the drain.

Philanthropist Aids TJC Growth

An aging philanthropist has, for the past 15 years, been participating in the growth of Thornton Junior College in the form of gift subscription to conservation magazines and checks of various amounts.

Living in California as he does, it would seem that Mr. C. M. Goethe would have no interest in a community college such as Thornton. In a recent letter he explained his actions.

"Our family, since before George Washington, always each generation has named one son 'Thornton.'"

"Though the college was so christened for someone else, the writer enclosed his widow's note to buy a book or two. Please mark it: 'Gift Mary Gild Goethe Fund.' Her family, each generation, one son named Thornton."

Mr. Goethe further expressed his interest in education in sending us the following article for publication. In the letter the word "we-2" refers to his above mentioned deceased wife and himself.

"On camel trips yesteryear (no motor highways), we-2 welcomed reaching any fresh figs' oasis. We insisted on gathering some. Arabs objected—'Eat no fig until it wears beggar's coat' . . . (Cracked when ripe). We avoided such. Pickers' fingers' germs could be in those cracks. Infant mortality then, 60% first year . . . Arabs stagnated, used, in 1890, technique of B.C. 990. American knowhow, penetrating with oil developments, transformed Camel Land. Millions of kiddies learn reading The Koran. Tens of thousands Arab students are in Occidental universities."

Mr. Goethe adds, "This improvement due to just such education as yours—in Americans gone overseas."

Through the years of correspondence with our librarian, Miss Halverson, he has given us a scanty picture of himself.

He reveals himself to be a bank-owner business was established in 1858, presumably by his father. He is now retired at the age of 90 and is owner of a string of ranches. He has traveled widely and is interested in genealogy and conservation, an odd pair.

Although this TJC benefactor would appear to be eccentric in the best sense of the word, it does not reduce our gratefulness to him for his interest in our college.

Harvey Oral Polio Program Distributes Sabin Vaccine

The Harvey Oral Polio Program, sponsored by the Harvey community, begins the first part of its immunization series on December 1 at different elementary schools in Harvey.

Marilynn Lau Makes Plans For Beta Sorority

"Being a sorority leader is definitely a time consuming duty," says Marilynn Lau, leader of the Beta Sorority. Having recently completed their month on kitchen duty the Beta girls can all verify this statement.

First, in making plans for this service, came the preparation of a schedule. In doing this Marilynn had to find a sorority member to be in the kitchen each period of the day for the entire month. Those of us who patronize the kitchen in the Union Room know how important this schedule is to the sustenance of the junior college students and faculty.

Marilynn found kitchen duty to be truly hard work, but she also found pleasure in going beyond the call of duty and providing more variety in the foods offered. Many Beta members brought home-made cakes to be served, and various types of lunches were made available. These additional services were welcomed and appreciated by the students.

Designing the student handbook was one of the things that kept Marilynn busy this summer. Because she is majoring in art and plans to go on in that field, this opportunity was welcomed by her. The success of her efforts was clearly seen during the first few days of school when the handbooks were of great value.

Marilynn, a cheerleader, shows much enthusiasm for her school team. This enthusiasm seems to dominate everything that she does and it certainly proves to be an asset in being a sorority leader.

Immunization will begin on December 1, when type I will be distributed, type II on January 12, and type III on February 23. Registration forms have been distributed to the student body. The forms were to be filled out, and one was to be returned to the instructor while the other is to be taken to the place of the vaccine's distribution. The hours of distribution are 12 noon to 4:00 p.m. at the following locations: Bryant School, 147th and Main Street, Lowell School (1636 Lexington Avenue) and Washington School, 15248 Lincoln Avenue. A contribution of 25¢ per dose is requested to cover the cost of vaccine, but no one will be refused if he is not able to pay.

The menace of polio is always present, and in order to prevent it in this area, the Harvey Oral Polio Program is being initiated. Polio strikes at any age and has caused the crippling and deaths of a great many people. Now that the Sabin oral vaccine is available at a low cost, mass programs are being carried out to prevent the disease. Besides the Harvey program, Hazel Crest is carrying out its own program.

The Sabin oral vaccine is a solution taken by mouth. The solution is dissolved in a cube of sugar and has a pleasant taste. Immunization from polio is a long term immunity that takes effect from two to three weeks after its introduction, but a booster should be taken every three or four years. The complete series of the oral vaccine is recommended regardless of previous Salk polio shots.

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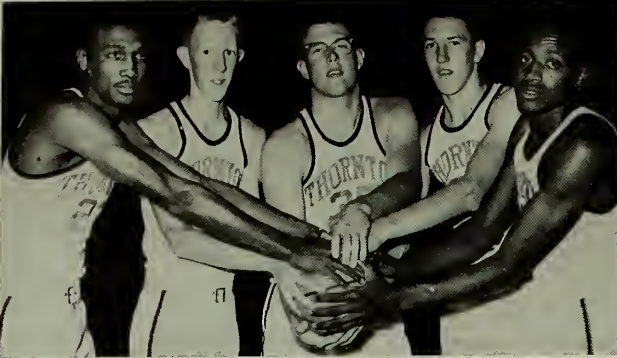
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Bulldog Cagers Host Elgin in Opener



The TJC Bulldogs open the '63-'64 season tonight hosting Elgin. Starting in the debut will be (left to right) Reuben Poindexter, Jim Massick, Paul Bentley, Dale Rettiker and Vern Ryan.

Elgin Junior College is TJC's first basketball opponent of the year as the Bulldogs play host to Elgin tonight at 7:30.

Coach Don Williams will start his second year as head basketball coach at Thornton. In his inaugural year last season, he piloted the Bulldogs to a 21-3 record.

Basketball Schedule

1963-64

*Conference Games		
*Nov. 25—Elgin 7:30	Home	
*Nov. 25—Men—Lassie 7:15	Away	
Nov. 30—Sat.—Wheaton 1:30	Away	
Dec. 5—Men—Valpo "B" Team	Away	
6:00		
*Dec. 7—Sat.—Moline 7:30	Away	
*Dec. 13—Fri.—Wright 7:30	Away	
*Dec. 10—Thurs.—Amundsen 7:30	Away	
Dec. 24—Thurs.—Holiday double		
Insider at Bloom 7:00 8:30		
*Jan. 6—Thurs.—Lynn 7:30	Away	
*Jan. 14—Tues.—Bloom 7:30	Away	
*Jan. 15—Fri.—Lynch 6:00	Away	
*Jan. 21—Fri.—Morton 7:30	Home	
*Feb. 1—Sat.—Canton 8:00	Away	
*Feb. 4—Tues.—Lynn 7:30	Away	
*Feb. 9—Thurs.—Wilson 3:45	Away	
*Feb. 11—Tues.—Valpo "B" 6:00	Away	
7:30		
*Feb. 14—Fri.—Joliet 7:30	Home	
*Feb. 20—Thurs.—Crane 7:30	Away	
*Feb. 27—Thurs.—Wheaton 7:30	Away	
March 9-8—Region IV NJCAA	Home	
Quinnipiac		
March 10-15—Finals Region IV	Away	
Tourney		

Four lettersmen from the 1962 team will be returning. Last year's high scorer Vern Ryan, defender Rubeen Poindexter, 6-5 center Paul Bentley, and playmaker guard Jim Massick will be back.

These four will be the core of the squad this year, but more will depend on incoming freshmen Jim Harris, Dale Rettiker, Chas Halbert. Rettiker will start with four lettersmen against Elgin.

The Bulldogs lost some of the best basketball players TJC ever had since last year. Among them, star guard Al Dehnert whose absence is sure to be felt.

As to the outlook for this season, coach Williams isn't sure.

"I really don't know how this team will be, but I am confident this is one of the best hustling ball clubs anyone will ever see," he explained.

"Early practices have shown spirit and desire to play. This is due to the excellent leadership from our four returning lettersmen."

Coach Williams commented the Elgin game as "probably a tough, but you never know."

Next Monday the Bulldogs will travel to Chicago to play Lakeview and on the following Saturday Wheaton will play host to TJC at 1 p.m.

Newman Club's Halloween Dance Termed "Successful"

"The Newman Club Halloween dance was a great success," Mary Harper, president of the organization.

More than 75 TJC students enjoyed the music, apple bobbing contest, best male and female costumes contest, and the free refreshments. The music was provided by popular recordings. A large number of the contestants won in the apple bobbing contest. Prizes were awarded to the winners of the costume contest. They were Lynn Colombo dressed as "Little Peep" and Tom Brotan dressed as a witch.

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From The Press Box

By Mike Jerding

Bulldogs Look to '64; Experience Will Reign

Football players at Thornton Junior College are optimistically looking forward to the 1964 grid season. When the Bulldogs began practice early in September head coach Pete Schloss was faced with a "green" group of freshmen football candidates.

Only four returning lettersmen dotted the 1963 Bulldog squad along with 36 freshmen hopefuls.

Now that the 1963 season is over Schloss and his assistant coach Don Williams can look back to a team that displayed a respectable record despite the inexperienced.

The Bulldogs finished the season with an overall 3-4-1 mark and fourth in the Northern Illinois Junior College football league with a 2-3-1 record.

Included in the lineup will be freshman back Frank Fencil. Last week Fencil was named to the all-league first team at fullback and was nominated as an All American Junior College football all-star candidate.

Another freshman, Gary Michor, was the only unanimous offensive choice at the tackle position. Sophomore Morris Johnson, one of four graduates, was selected to the first defensive team at end while frosh Dave Kolton was named to a first team defensive linebacker.

In all, 13 Thornton players received recognition from the coaches. Kolton also was named second team offensive guard while Don Miller was a defensive linebacker choice on the second team.

Honorable mention recognition went to Walt Kowalek (off end), Dave Garmick (off tackle), Jim Seymour (off. guard and def.

Bulldog Statistics

TEAM STATISTICS		TJC	OPP
First Downs	197	70	
Yards Rushing	1505	1035	
Yards Passing	410	550	
Total Yards	2015	1714	
Plays Attempted	84	79	
Plays Completed	33	37	
Plays Not Intercepted	28-21	21-15	
Fumbles (Lost)	3	6	
Fumbles	345	320	
INDIVIDUAL			
(Rushes)		C	Yds
Fencil	171	728	4.3
Holloway	88	547	6.2
Michor	31	130	4.2
Aggen	47	136	2.8
Hoppe	8	6.6	
Whitney	27	41	1.5
Aggen	5	15	3.4
McLure	34	39	
McLure	4	3	
Kolton	1	0	
(Passing)			
Fencil	116	Compd	Yds. Int
Fencil	72	322	7
Whitney	12	3	37
(Pass Receiving)			
Kowalek	10	153	
Garmick	1	14	
McLure	2	13	
Fencil	1	3	
Aggen	1	0	
(Scoring)		TD	PAT
Fencil	7	4	40
Holloway	4	3	27
Aggen	3	0	18
Kowalek	3	0	18
McLure	1	0	6
Whitney	1	0	6
Aggen	1	0	2
Automatic Safety	0	0	2



Basketball season will officially open tonight when the Bulldogs take on Elgin at home. This game is a must if you want to see a run-away ball game. If you are a person who likes this kind of basketball, you'll come tonight and never again this season.

Scores of 100+ points are not typical of good basketball by both teams, and TJC coach Don Williams knows this. That is why this year's schedule will include schools such as Valparaiso, Lincoln, Canton, and Wheaton, displacing George Williams, University of Chicago, and a second game with Elgin.

Williams wants to whip the Bulldogs into shape for the national finals at the end of the year, and the only way to do this is to play top-notch teams during the regular season. Certainly, a squad can't prepare for the tough teams in the tourney by playing four or five regular season games with teams that they can score 100 points against.

The Bulldogs may not win 21 games like last year, but one may be sure they will play a far better brand of basketball by the end of the season.

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Two Men's club sports activities are in the news this week. Only 10-15 persons are showing up each week for the bowling league at Joliet Bowl, so teams are not feasible. But bowling will continue for DC students every Wednesday afternoon at a reduced rate.

As for intramural basketball, chairman Dan Fox is trying to start the season a few weeks before the Christmas break. The way things look now, however, it may not be until second semester that the league will get underway.

Mr. Baker Runs Track

Students of Thornton Junior College may be interested to know that our new geology instructor is also a track man.

Mr. Martin Baker, the "rock man" in annex "C" runs the half-mile and quarter-mile for the University of Chicago track club.

A graduate of Carleton College and University of Chicago, Mr. Baker has run for Carleton and placed in the Mid-Western conference meets his last three years at Carleton.

At Von Steuben High School in Chicago, he placed in city meets every year in school.

He has been a member of the U. of C. track club for three years and doesn't see the end of his running in the foreseeable future.

"I'm going to keep running till I stop getting pleasure out of it."

Grid Standings

NORTHERN ILLINOIS JUNIOR COLLEGE FOOTBALL STANDINGS (Final)

	(Final)			Overall		
	League			Overall		
	W	L	T	W	L	T
Wilson	3	1	2	3	2	2
Wright	4	2	0	5	3	0
Jellet	3	2	1	3	4	1
THORNTON	2	3	1	3	4	1
Morton	1	5	0	1	5	0

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"And they came with haste and
found Mary, and Joseph, and
the Babe lying in a manger..."

Christmas: A Time for Reflection

By Gerald Compton

The mention of the word Christmas brings many pleasant and wonderful things to mind; the traditional Christmas tree cheerfully adorned with sparkling lights, the tin-
nied, candy canes, and other innovations depending on the household where it is located; the men and women of the Salvation Army who so selflessly give of their time to remind us of our duty to share a small portion of our abundance with those who are less fortunate.

We think of children wide-eyed with wonder and joy, excitedly opening the physical manifestations of our love. We think of carolers spreading the joy of this season. We think of snow and a Christmas dinner with a family reunited in love, and joy, and faith.

Many of us are reminded of Christmas as it was long ago, and the stories told by our grandparents and parents bring a feeling of nostalgia to our hearts as we vicariously savor the heart roasted chestnuts and the cellar frozen apples of Christmas past.

But to many there is an even more important facet of this most joyous of holidays. Many years ago in a small town at the eastern end of the Mediterranean sea, a child was born who was to bring a message of peace to a world which seemed, even then, to be bent upon its own destruction, a message of hope for a world that had lost all hope, a message of love for our fellow men to a world and a time so similar to our own in that a respect for the rights of others and a love of those who were strangers in a strange land had given way to the cancerous growth of holier than thou hate.

During this Christmas season it would be well for us to take stock of this message, particularly in the light of recent events in our own nation, and relate its meaning to our lives at this time. It would be well for us to dedicate ourselves to the principles of that message and to resolve that during the coming year we will devote a little more time to solving the problems of our world, for it is our world. In the words of the "Battle Hymn of the Republic," "let us live to make men free", free from the bonds of oppression, hate, disease, fear, and war. Then, and only then, will mankind truly be free.

Newman Club Dance Tonight

The Newman Club's Christmas dance, "Holly-Daze", will be held tonight at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 15100 Page Avenue.

Dancing will start promptly at 8:30 and will last until 11:30 p.m. The gala music for the festivities will be provided by TJC's Ken Bailey and his "Roadrunners".

Attire for this Christmas affair will be school dress. Refreshments will be sold during the dance. The host is 75 cents per person.

Plans are now in the final stage for the singing of Christmas carols at different hospitals and private homes in this area on Sunday, December 22. All TJC students are invited to join in the caroling.

For further information on the dance or the caroling contact Marty Harper or Dave Logadon.



The Courier staff takes this opportunity to wish the student body and faculty members a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Pictured at Santa Clause in the Courier greeting card is our adviser, Mr. John Stanfield. Other members of the staff sending their best wishes are Jerry Ferrara,

Donna Angus, Rosemary Philpat, Gerry Plante, Tom Girard, Rick Yonda, Bob Pacholik, Tom Kelly, Dave Steinberg, Tom Renner, Mike Jerding and Tom Brotan. Not pictured are Doug Smith and John Anderson.

Welcome



During registration for second semester many JC students became acquainted with Mrs. Edna M. Rupert, the most recent addition to the Thornton Junior College secretarial staff.

Mrs. Rupert hails from Palos Hills and was formerly a member of the secretarial staffs at Bremen Community High School and Chicago Teachers College. When asked how she felt about what she had seen at JC thus far, Mrs. Rupert replied to this heavily loaded question that she had thoroughly enjoyed getting acquainted with both the teachers and the students.

The same surprise which has been expressed by so many concerning the outstanding facilities and courses offered at TJC was also expressed by Mrs. Rupert. She stated that she was most surprised by the number of volumes available in our library. Also Mrs. Rupert said that she felt that the close relationship between the students and the faculty aided in creating a learning situation far superior to that of many larger schools.

Remodeled Annex C Lounge Will Welcome the New Year

Members of the TJC Student Senate along with leaders of school clubs and organizations are making plans to beautify the lounge in Annex C in order to provide a more pleasant atmosphere for junior college students.

The representatives of the student organizations have been meeting with members of the student government during the past month, to set plans to decorate the lounge and replace the current furniture with a more comfortable surrounding.

The junior college has a Union Room on the third floor of the main school building and the Annex C lounge. The two rooms provide a place for students to study, meet with friends or just relax between classes. The Union Room is equipped with a kitchen that is operated by members of the TJC Coed Club.

Men Invade Co-ed Room January 7

The Coed Club's annual open house will be held this year on January 7 at 4 p.m. Sponsored by the Epsilon Sorority, the theme of the affair is "Boys Night In". The girls take this chance to show off the Coed Club to the men of TJC. It is the only affair of the year during which men may legally go into the Coed Room.

The entertainment will be provided by a TJC male trio, consisting of Tom Kelly, Norm Paulberg, and Mark Asplund, known as the Liberty Trio. Jan DeYoung, leader of Epsilon, will be hostess and refreshments will be served by Epsilon members.

Registration of New Students Set For Early January

Students presently enrolled in the junior college completed preliminary registration for the spring semester during the week of December 4 through 11.

All new students are expected to report to the deans' offices for interviews. District students will be interviewed from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., January 8-10; non-district students, January 13-17. Their preliminary registration will be completed at these interviews.

Registration will be completed on January 29 and 30. Tuition for resident students is \$75 per semester and for non-resident students, \$250 per semester. In addition, every student pays a \$10 activity fee and a laboratory fee for each laboratory course in which he is enrolled. Students will be expected to pay full tuition and fees at the time of final registration.

Kentucky Colonel

Dr. James D. Logadon, superintendent of District 205 schools, has been awarded the honorary rank of a Kentucky colonel. The commission was presented to Dr. Logadon by Mr. Ormer Renfrow, Thornton Township High School principal. It was officially authorized by Kentucky Governor Bert Combes at the request of a delegation of Owensboro, Kentucky high school teachers who toured District 205 schools on November 5.

Library Is Now Open Evenings

Thornton Junior College's Library is now open two evenings a week for the convenience of all night school students. Tuesday and Wednesday evenings from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. the full facilities of the TJC library are under the supervision of Mrs. Certrude Ring, assistant librarian.

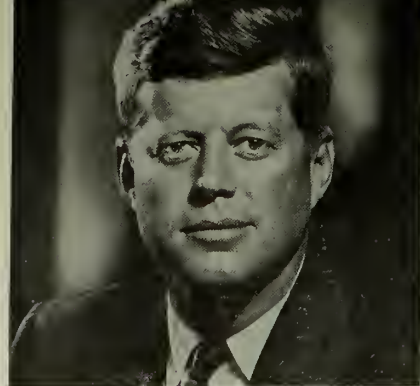
Evening school students must obtain a card from the evening school office which will permit the student to use the library. Students are not permitted to check books out of the library during these periods, but study and research may be done in the library.

Mrs. Ring said, "while the library is not being used to its full capacity on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings by night school students, I feel that it will eventually be used to a great extent by all night school students."

Day school students have not been given actual night library privileges. Mrs. Ring stated that in case of an emergency, day school students could use the library at night, but could not draw books at night.

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Campus Scene



"... ask not what your country can do for you — ask what you can do for your country."

Students at Thornton Junior College, like people all over the world, have had a front seat in the mourner's pew the past few weeks. We've lived history and have known we were living it as we did so.

As with every experience of life, the assassination of John Fitzgerald Kennedy can have two effects — depending on us, the individual citizens.

We can forget the president who was killed; we can return to the security of our habits and our ignorance; we can allow the world to turn without one bit of social conscience.

Or we can grow from this experience; we can examine the ideals of John F. Kennedy; we can look at our own ideals; we can resolve, each in our own way, that a president and a man has not died in vain.

We have a delicate path to tread. We must strengthen our own resolve and determination toward the age-old ideals of choice made for the good of the whole, not the few, peaceful disagreement, and freedom of all in which John Kennedy believed.

Although we live in a community geographically isolated from Washington, our hearts were no less heavy than those who knew John Kennedy at his death. Many of us knew him only through news media, and yet we felt we knew him well and that he thought of us.

Though born to a life of wealth and ease, John Kennedy never took it easy. As a young man and a student, he schooled himself thoroughly in the history of our national heritage and prepared himself for a career in public service. Before he could embark on this career, he was put through the crucible of wartime battle experience in the South Pacific, where he demonstrated the patriotism of the youth of his generation was no less self-sacrificing than that of the forebearers of this country.

As a congressman, a senator, and then as president, while still in his early forties, John F. Kennedy proved that a career in politics need not be an ignoble one, but among the highest of all callings if it is pitched to the level of unselfish service to the state.

His buoyant spirit gave each of us in the nation the feeling that no problem was too great if we met it with solving ingenuity. He brought to his task in the presidency a first class mind and a quick intelligence, the energy of youth, and a devotion to the public interest. At times, he seemed almost to walk amongst us as a giant with seven league boots, and we can say that he made his short day amongst us a great epoch.

John Kennedy was aware of much that threatened our nation and our way of life. He often pointed out that we must strengthen and unify our resistance to radicalism. Radical causes are espoused by radical people. Causes which advocate violence are espoused by violent people. The civilized man controls his radical emotions and his violence in favor of reason.

We cannot consider ourselves balanced if we espouse such things as racism, fanaticism, moderation of ideals, and reduction of values.

We can remember John F. Kennedy as a president, as a man, and as a person of principle. As a matter of fact, it would be a fitting memorial to John F. Kennedy if every student in America would remember him by firmly adhering to the beliefs for which he died... nothing would be more suitable.

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A get-rich-quick scheme involving U.S. savings bond chain letters is presently spreading on campuses all over the country. At Valparaiso University, Valparaiso, Indiana, several thousand dollars worth of savings bonds were sold to students by Valparaiso banks in a few hours. Then the banks refused to make further sales. These bonds were all sold through the process of a chain letter in which students can invest \$75 and supposedly get back \$19,200 in U.S. Series E Savings bonds. These chain letter schemes are illegal under the laws of many states. Now that you are more confused than I am about these chain letters and how they work, only one bit of understandable information can be offered. Avoid anyone who has a plan to get-rich-quick, especially if he suddenly pulls a long list of signatures from his back pocket.

A new college fad has hit Northern Illinois University in DeKalb. It's tandem bicycles (bicycles built for two). The University Center has added six of them to its recreation facilities. They may raise some problems on a date. Who's going to sit in the front? Who's going to do the pedaling? Where are they going to... Oh, well, I will leave that one to your imagination.

A newly-inaugurated program offering undergraduate and graduate degrees in science writing and science information has been introduced at the Illinois Institute of Technology this fall semester. The program is designed to help solve the growing communication needs of business, industry, and scientific research organizations. Dr. Henry Knepler, chairman of IIT's language, literature, and philosophy departments, said that little organized work has been done in this country to combine communications skills with the sciences, engineering, and medicine. "Today, scientific writers and liberal arts degrees have to struggle to acquire the background in science demanded in their profession. Science majors, on the other hand, may lack skill in expressing themselves effectively," Dr. Knepler stated. It seems that IIT has opened the doors to another area of education which had previously been neglected.

Cocals at the University of Texas, Austin, Texas, are being back a rather old, and foreign, custom, pierced ears. Charges for this chic adventure are \$1 a head or 50 cents an ear. I hope the fat stays in an ear. How about you?

Have a Merry Christmas and as a New Year's resolution, always read your Courier!

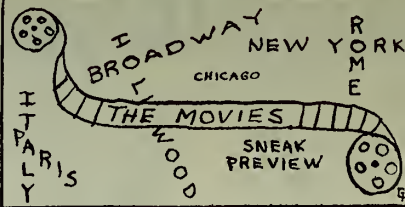
Marley: Man On the Go

The red-headed flash seen running around the halls of TJC is none other than Wayne Marley, President of the Men's Club. Always on the move, this popular sophomore has many activities planned for the club this year.

Foremost among his plans is the formation of fraternity work groups. "While fraternities are illegal in Illinois Junior Colleges," said Wayne, "we plan to form work groups in the Men's Club and call them fraternities only in the sense that they are groups of men working together. Our groups will be open to all Men's Club members."

Other plans for the club include amblers, intra-mural basketball and bowling, and a Men's Club room.

A graduate of Thornton High School, Wayne is now majoring in chemical engineering. He is undecided as to whether he will attend after TJC. Wayne does not let the Men's Club take all of his time. He is catcher on the baseball team and chairman of club relations for Circle K.



In an earlier column we stated rather casually that the art of film was the art of this century. We believed that the art of film was universal; in fact, universally irresistible. But what we had in mind was a certain kind of film, and a certain form of film. We put this point to a partial test in recent weeks at a film festival in Leipzig, Germany (in the Eastern sector). Earlier it seemed that American films were universally seen, admired and appreciated; for example, in Copenhagen, "Barabaras," and "55 Days at Peking" were playing; in Malmö, Sweden, "How The West Was Won" and "Lawrence of Arabia"; in Paris, "Cleopatra," "Irma La Douce," Jerry Lewis in "The Nutty Professor" and "The Birds"; even in Leipzig itself, Billy Wilder's "The Apartment." It seemed at first, therefore, that the Hollywood film had become a universal film, and that Hollywood's peculiar art had become the art of hundreds of millions of people.

The festival at Leipzig is politically oriented, and we were curious, we were curious. We must admit now that the art of film, as we had understood it, is not a universal art and that generally the people in the world are not interested in the art of film. In fact, in many countries there is a different conception of it. It is not merely that they do not appreciate the techniques of the West; it is, rather, that they do not appreciate the art of film. They argue that film must be instructive. Not in the way that art is always instructive, but directly and specifically useful, as the means by which people may be trained to be responsible citizens doing useful jobs.

Film in the service of the state, or, if you will, of the people: that is their point. It is an arguable point, but we may concede for a time that it has some merit. The question must be raised however: who defines the interests of the state? and it is always identical with the interest of the majority party; or do other possibilities exist? In any event they think the things we Europeans, or Americans, like sewing machines or tractors. The very premise of film as art is disputed, and consequently the only universality left this poor abused medium is the ability to make us away and push and pull its audience.

In Paris we saw two films by two young Americans. First features by young Americans often get started in this way. The films are "Hallelujah the Hills" directed by Adolph Mekas (shown recently at the New York Film Festival) and "The Moving Finger" directed by Larry Meyer (Meyer won Best Director Award at San Francisco this year; incidentally, Lionel Stander does a great job in the

film). The second film is a fun and consistently immoral film about some very greedy and one-sided people; and "Hills" is a fully about the movie form. Both films are genuinely American, and if you can see them (that is, if they give general release) please do.

So go to Paris to see fresh American talent.

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Thus in this book Baldwin makes the state of the Negro as what must be done to remedy the situation. James Baldwin was born in New York and attended DeWitt Clinton High School. Among his other books are "Go Tell It to the Women," "Notes from a Native Son," "Another Country," and "Nobody Knows My Name." Baldwin is a member of the National Conference of Christian and Jews.

Book Fair

By David Steinberg
THE FIVE NEXT TIME
by James Baldwin
Dial Press, 1963

James Baldwin begins his book by issuing a plea to the American people to take a true look at the Negro 100 years after the Emancipation Proclamation. Baldwin also give a warning of what may happen if Americans do not reexamine the Negro problem.

Baldwin continues by stating that the trouble with the white man is that he has too much self-love. Furthermore, Baldwin states that the Negro does not want to be white men's pets. He wants fair and equal treatment.

In certain parts of New York where Baldwin grew up, Negro children are restricted in their movements. The children are allowed to cross certain boundaries.

If a Negro violates the boundaries he is beaten. This, Baldwin says, is another reason for the Negro's hate of the white man. The Negro church teaches that the Negro should love everyone, except those of other faiths and white men. Baldwin explains that many Negroes are wrong in thinking that way. Baldwin's own philosophy is that the Negro should love instead of hatred. Baldwin states that the white man's hate is the black man's hell.

Baldwin explains that the white man fears the Negro because the Negro is afraid of black men rising. The white man continues to degrade the Negro so the white man can rule. Baldwin states that the white man fails to see that the Negro wants only equality, not slavery.

Part of this book Baldwin devotes to an evening he had with Elijah Muhammad and Malcolm X, two Black Muslim leaders. Baldwin found that Malcolm X uses an for his last name because he did not want to be associated with whites in any way.

Mohammad explained that racism would cease if the white man would give the black man the right of their own. Muhammad continued by saying that states would be payment for many years the black man slavery for the whites. Baldwin disagrees with this idea. Baldwin says that the Negro does not want to be a world but one in which men could live equally.

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Former "Courier" Editor Quoted in 'Sports Illustrated'

Perry Peters, former editor of the Courier, and now the sports editor of The New York Star, the Northern Illinois University undergraduate paper, was quoted in the November 11 issue of Sports Illustrated Magazine.

In an article about George Bork, AIU-American quarterback, NIU, Terry said, "Whenever I used to tell people I was at NIU they'd say, 'Oh yeah. DeKalb Teachers' it was my pet peeve. Well, now everybody's talking about the football team and George Bork. They're not talking teachers anymore."

How Students Reacted to the Assassination

The assassination of President John F. Kennedy reached into the lives of every American citizen. At a time when the United States needed a great leader, a man fully capable of that leadership was felled by an assassin's bullet. President Kennedy was more than a leader of the adult populace in this country. He was also very much respected by the young people of our nation. He was a man whom the youth could look up to as a pattern for their own lives. He was a man whose death brought every young person deep sorrow and grief.

As the first news of the shooting of the President was announced on the Union Room radio, students of Thornton Junior College stood and listened silently and unbelievably. One could feel the emotions of everyone appeared that each person had lost his best friend. When those students left TJC that afternoon, they left behind the carefree, joyful feelings that had been with them in the morning.

After the mournful weekend was over, and students returned to classes on the following Tuesday, the emotions of everyone were in their minds. To discover these reactions, several questions were asked of various students in an effort to try to grasp the effect of the assassination on the college population of TJC. Questions were:

1. What was your reaction to the assassination of President Kennedy? 2. What was your reaction to the killing of Lee Harvey Oswald? 3. How do you think President Kennedy will be remembered?

In response to the first question, here are some of the statements of TJC students:

Ken Brown, sophomore: "Having recently served in the army during the Berlin and Cuba crises, I gained a deep sense of respect for President Kennedy's judgment and foresight. When President Kennedy was killed, I felt like part of me had died. The meaning of his death is too vast to be reduced to words."

Student Volunteers Needed for Weekend Mental Patient Work

Positions are available for twenty college students to participate in a program of volunteer service to the mentally ill.

All Thornton Junior College students are eligible to participate in this much needed service program at the Chicago State Hospital. This program is being sponsored by the American Friends Service Committee, a non-profit service organization.

Friday evenings the group assembles to have dinner, get acquainted, and for an orientation program. Saturday the volunteer group works and plays with the patients, trying to relate fully to them. Saturday evening the days experiences are discussed and analyzed. On Sunday morning, information which has been gained is recounted and preparations are made to apply what has been learned to the problems of the mentally ill in the future.

Volunteers render desperately needed service to a group of fellow human beings who are ill and, for the most part, rejected and neglected. Many of the young people who participate in this project say that it is one of the most significant experiences they have had in terms of awakening social consciousness and becoming meaningfully involved in a challenging social problem.

Volunteers learn first hand some of the problems which face our society and explore with each

Jim Massick, sophomore: "I was deeply shocked upon hearing of President Kennedy's assassination. I felt like I had known him personally. Something that appears strange to me has been the way some are acting hypocritically in expressing feelings exactly opposite of those they had before the President's death."

Cheryl Zarembka, freshman: "When I first heard of the assassination, I didn't want to believe it. It couldn't seem to be happening in the United States, especially to a person like President Kennedy. He tried to do everything he could for all the people."

Doug Smith, sophomore: "I was mortified to hear that something like this could happen in a country that is such a world leader. It seems to be something from a history book. Now that the reality of this thing has set in, it is quite evident that everyone must re-evaluate his previously wanted actions."

Dave Logsdon, freshman: "My overall reaction was shock and disbelief. For three or four days after the shooting, I found it hard to believe that President Kennedy was dead."

Answers to the second question about Lee Oswald follow.

Ken Brown: "I can't help but think that Ruby is part of a conspiracy, and that the killing of Oswald was not merely the pseudo-patriotic action of one man. This second shooting removed possibilities of discovering the real motives of Oswald. The event shows that this nation still has a lot to learn about human understanding and cooperation."

Jim Massick: "In my opinion Lee Oswald was tied in with someone, and his death keeps us from finding out if that is true. I think the assassination performed by Oswald was well planned and not a quick, instinctive move. Killing him has definitely hurt our picture of justice and democracy as a world power."

Cheryl Zarembka: "I don't think it was right to kill Oswald. He didn't have an opportunity for a

fair trial, something guaranteed to every person in the Constitution."

Doug Smith: "I don't think we can blame Lee Oswald alone for the assassination. It could be blamed on every individual who suppresses ethnic groups. We can see that eventually there will be uprisings from these ethnic groups."

Dave Logsdon: "Any democratic society will have some men like Oswald. Killing him was not the smart thing to do. Much could have been learned if Oswald had lived. Jack Ruby should be given some degree of mercy."

As to how students of TJC think President Kennedy will be remembered, replies went like this:

Jim Massick: "President Kennedy will go down in history as one of our greatest presidents because of his determination for civil rights legislation, and the excellent way he handled the cold war tensions."

Cheryl Zarembka: "I think most people will remember President Kennedy for the ideals he set for himself and for this country. He will always be thought of as a great man."

Doug Smith: "Fifty years from now President Kennedy will be recognized as more of a 'martyr' than was President Lincoln."

Dave Logsdon: "President Kennedy was a great leader. If he would have been given the time and cooperation, he could have been even greater."

MR. KENT NEWBURY DIRECTS

Christmas Concert Chorale Carols to Large Audience

The Thornton Junior College Choir, under the direction of Mr. Kent Newbury, presented a Christmas pageant of well known works last Wednesday, December 18, at 8:00 p.m., in the Thorndridge High School Auditorium.

To open the program the Junior College Instrument Ensemble played a few selections. The Choir began its concert with "Hodie Christus Natus Est" - "Unto Us A Child Is Born" by Lawrence E. Tagg, followed by "Rejoice and Sing," the third choral from the "Christian Oratorio," by Johann Sebastian Bach, and "He Is Born," a French choral, arranged by Roger Wagner.

Following the three numbers of the choir, was a male quartet consisting of Jack Grzesik, Mark Asplund, Chuck Mosser, and Paul John who sang "It's Beginning to Look a Lot Like Christmas" and "Winter Wonderland," both by Irving Berlin.

An echo group, Laurie Noetzel, Jane Lowe, Jack Grzesik, and Chuck Mosser sang behind the choir in "While Shepherds Watched," arranged by Peter Thack Next was "Follow That Star" by David N. Davenport and concluding the program before the intermission was "Rise Up, Shepherd, And Follow," a spiritual arranged by Kent A. Newbury with Era Wheeler as the featured soloist, with choir backing.

After a brief intermission, the Choir returned with a selection of works and music by Noel Rigney and Gloria Shayne and arranged by Harry Simeone entitled "Do You Hear What I Hear?"

Adapted from an old Welsh carol "Deck the Halls" was a calypso

number entitled "Deck the Hut With Coconut" by Jean Sterling and Guy Grant. Following the unusual calypso number was an old favorite by Irving Berlin and arranged by Mr. Newbury, "White Christmas."

Concluding this great array of many styles of music was Fred Warring's Choral Arrangement of "The Song of Christmas," the story of the Nativity as told in Christmas songs, carols, and Biblical verses, written by Roy Ringwald. Jerry Miller narrated.

Sleighbell Ball Plays Host to 120 Students

Approximately 60 couples turned out for the Sleighbell Ball, Saturday, December 14 at Hickory Hills Country Club.

The dance, held in the Fore Seasons Room, featured the music of the Rhythmairs, a twelve piece band.

The room was decorated in gay holiday decor and featured a huge fireplace at one end of the floor. The highlight of the evening was the appearance of Santa Claus, portrayed by Bill Swanson, general chairman of the dance.

Chaperones for the evening were Miss Adelaide Childs, Miss Marie Weiss, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Ke, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wensel, and Mr. James Aull.

Members of the dance committee were Men's club members Jack Grzesik, Eddie Adams, Dan Fox, and Don Cureton. Dennis Kunka was publicity chairman.

LIBERTY TRIO PERFORMS AT THE LANGUAGE CLUB CHRISTMAS PARTY



Tom Kelly, left, and Norm Paarlberg, right, belt out a steady rhythm on the guitar and baritone ukulele while Mark Asplund, center, sings a solo. The Liberty Trio, as they are known, appeared at the Language Club party, December 12.

During the recent trend toward folk music and folk groups, Thornton Junior College has not gone without its representatives in this field, the Liberty Trio.

The three students who compose the Liberty Trio are Norm Paarlberg, Tom Kelly, and Mark Asplund. Though they first started together just for fun, they are now considered a popular group and have performed in several activi-

ties in the last two months. Their first performance was a rather informal get-together at the homecoming bon-fire. They made their first organized appearance at a Harvey Kiwanis meeting which was hosted by the Circle K Club. Their most recent show was at the Language Club Christmas party on December 12.

"Our main idea in forming this group was to enjoy singing the

songs we love instead of just listening to them," said Norm Paarlberg, who had the idea of forming the group.

"Since then, we have found it even more enjoyable to share these songs and our good times in singing to other people on different occasions," added Tom Kelly.

Norm Paarlberg is the baritone of the group, while Tom is the lead tenor, and Mark is the high tenor.

Santa Visits Co-ed Buffet

"Santa Came to JC" last Tuesday to attend the buffet dinner given by the Delta sorority of the Coed Club. Mrs. Lee Duglar and Miss Adelaide Childs were the honored guests. Other guests were the women instructors, wives of the men instructors, and TJC women.

The high light of the evening was the appearance of Santa Claus, portrayed by one of the Delta sorority members, who gave each guest a Christmas card.

A decorated Christmas tree, wreaths, and a false fireplace added to the holiday mood.

Other some of the possible solutions for this ever mounting problem. Through meeting with people who share like interests, discussing important problems, and ideas and sharing in creative work and recreation - many lasting friendships may be formed.

Units are held from 5:00 p.m. Friday evening through Sunday noon every other weekend throughout the year. If you or your group are interested in being a part of or sponsoring such a group please write or call: The Institutional Service Program, The American Friends Service Committee, 431 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois.

You Oughta Be in Pictures



A bright face in the crowded Union Room is Jan Weeden, our girl Friday for this issue. This raven haired beauty, a freshman from South Holland, is in the Liberal Arts curriculum and plans to attend the University of Illinois in Champaign to major in physical education.

"I Am Cool... I Think"

(Reprinted from the "Santa Clara" publication of the U. of Santa Clara, California)
"I am a Frosh arriving at the U. I am cool. I am here with dad and mom. We brought the Cadillac; my Corvette is in the shop. They are taking off the mudflaps."

I wear my Ivy League blazer with family crest on the pocket. My handkerchief has my initials and my tie-bar has a Porsche emblem. On my right arm is my girl friend, she is high school and she is snowed. I will go home next weekend. She will have missed me and shower me with kisses. I carry my leather suitcases. Inside are my black tennis; they are precious. Inside are my ragged bermies and my twenty button-down madras shirts. On top of the car is my surfboard. In the back seat are my skis, tennis racket and my autographed Trini Lopez album. I am cool.

MOTHER IS CRYING

This is my dorm; it is a dump. My father says it will make me a man. My mother is crying. This is my roommate. He was here first. On the dresser are his trophies. He was student body president. He was captain of the football team. He was all-state basketball player. He was valedictorian. His uncle is a Jesuit and his father owns U.S. Steel. He was Elks Club Boy-of-the-Year. Wow! Am I impressed. He thinks he has me but wait until he sees my autographed Trini Lopez album. I am cool.

COOL FROSH

I am a Frosh; the sun is rising. It is the second day. My parents are gone; I am alone, but I am not scared; I do not have time.

I am on the lawn doing push-ups. It is work. I am tired. I will play it cool and hide behind the hedge. I am smoking my straight-stemmed pipe with the run-soaked tobacco. It tastes awful. I am dizzy; I am passing out.

I am taking my first college exam. It is English-A. It is tough but I am not scared. I am so smart. Everyone finishes; I have pages to go. I am alone; now I am scared. Yet, I do not sweat. It is cool to take bonehead English.

AT REGISTRATION

I am at registration. I am confused. I am lost. Sign this; that. Three copies of the green one; one copy of the pink one; have the yellow one signed by your department head. I am more lost. Who is my department head? What is my major? Where is my college? Questions, questions, questions. All I want to do is go to college and be collegiate. It is tough to do. I am catching the rays in the garden. There goes a coed. Wow! Is she nice. She is wearing her color-coordinated campus fashions. She only wears what is cool. Her eyes have pounds of make-up on them. Her hair is bleached, ratted and flipped and hangs in her eyes. I will hustle.

CAMPUS QUEEN

We talk. I light her Parliament for her; she exhales through her nose. She is cool. I make my move. Saturday night — game and the dance. She says okay.

Here comes an upperclassman in a tan blazer. He walks like a leader. Wow! Am I impressed. So is she! Her eyes light up; her smile widens.

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News No Easy Job for WLS

By Tom Girard

"This is Stan Dale, and I have news for you." These words are commonly heard by any TJC student who is an avid fan of radio station WLS. But have you ever stopped to think of the preparation required before news is presented on the air?

The process of editing the news before a broadcast is by no means a simple one. In a recent visit to the WLS news department, I was given the opportunity to witness the amount of work it involves. For approximately four hours I hovered around the newsroom seeking to pick up every possible bit of information I could. Through the courtesy and congeniality of Mr. Harold Salzman, News Director, and Mr. Stan Dale, news announcer, I was able to discover many of the behind-the-microphone details of news work.

At WLS there are about eight or nine radio teletype machines which are constantly bringing in news from all over the country. From these machines the newsmen obtain the groundwork for their newscasts. Each story is scanned to determine its news value. If it is important, the story is then rewritten in the manner required for broadcasting by a man whose work exclusively consists of editing the news.

After the "rewrite man" is finished, he turns the copy over to the announcer who will do the actual news presentation. He quickly briefs himself on each item to find names or places which may be difficult to pronounce. An advance recognition may prevent a slip-up on the air.

A few minutes before the news is to begin, the announcer enters the studio to prepare for his program. After the news beeps are heard, he begins the newscast, taking on a somewhat different voice. This is caused by his speaking from the diaphragm rather than the chest, as most of us do. He carefully watches the clock so that he will finish at a precise time.

After each news report, everything that was read is put into a file and kept for legal purposes. Then the cycle continues for the next hour's newscast.

As you can see, the amount of work required is not quite apparent as we listen to a fluent, fast-moving newscast of five minutes. But, nevertheless, many people are kept busy while the rest of us listen to popular music on WLS.

He gives him the eye. I am worried.

He nods his head and snickers at my drink. She giggles. He motions. She follows. Dump, dump, dump. Bye-bye campus queen.

I am sick. I am alone. I am a Frosh. I am cool... I think."

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TJC Science Department Doubles Size in a Decade

As the enrollment at Thornton Junior College is increasing every semester, the science department continues to make great strides. According to Mr. Fred Ring, head of the Thornton Junior College and High School science departments, the increase of students, facilities and faculty members in the science program has doubled in the last ten years.

This year more than 350 students had enrolled in one of the schools five science courses. There are eight instructors teaching geology, zoology, botany, chemistry and physics.

Mr. Ring has been head of the TJC science department for five years and has been a teacher at the junior college and high school level for 27 years.

He cited the increase in facilities for the science program in the last five years. "While I've been head of the science department, the biological sciences have doubled in size — both students and facilities," he said, "while we at Thornton have been growing so has the acceptance of credit from four year universities."

"The four year schools realize the necessity of the junior college program to relieve the load."

The science program at Thornton Junior College follows in general the University of Illinois curriculum. "Communications be-

between schools have helped develop a more unified science program," said Mr. Ring. "This necessary because science demands a specific knowledge."

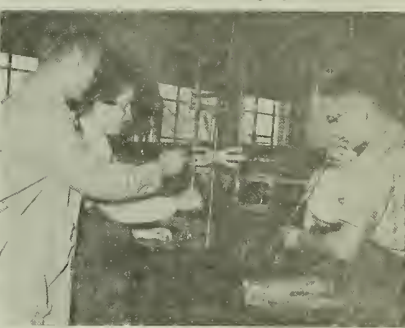
"While other courses demand interpretation more than definite facts, science requires a basic knowledge."

The science program at TJC constructed to fit two kinds of people. The first is the student who is science oriented and plans a scientific profession. The second is for the liberal arts student who needs a basic understanding of science for his future vocation.

"Science and experimentation go hand-in-hand," said Mr. Ring. "There's a more to understand the cosmos than classroom lectures." Laboratory holds a two-to-one ratio over classroom sessions.

"Seeing the actual results of an experiment helps the student to understand nature's phenomena even more," said Mr. Ring.

Thornton can be proud of its students it has graduated science majors. "In almost every case a student who has done well at Thornton Junior College has done well at a four year university," said Mr. Ring, "as a junior college we have gained an outstanding reputation."



Mr. Fred Ring, chemistry instructor, guides Judy Earnest and Wayne K. in the analysis of bases and acids in Chemistry 101, one of the courses in TJC's fast growing science department.

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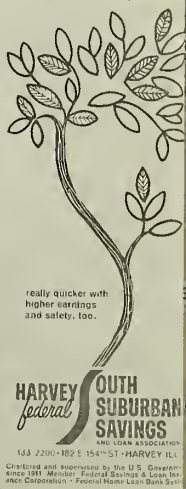
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German Club members, under the direction of Miss Jeanette Hills, sing Christmas songs at the Foreign Language Club's International Christmas Party which was held December 12, in the Union Room.

. . . It's Merry Christmas

The German, French, and Spanish Language Clubs of Thornton Junior College met recently to celebrate Christmas in the traditional manner of France, Germany, and Spain.

Under the direction of Miss Jeanette Wunderlich, Foreign Language Department head, and Miss Jeanette Hills, German Instructor, the Union Room was decorated with a tree, evergreen festoons, and decorations in keeping with the Christmas celebration.

A flute ensemble, a trio of three instrumentalists from Thornton Junior College, headed the bill of entertainment for the afternoon. One of the three clubs sang at least one Christmas carol native to Germany, France, or Spain. Representatives from each organization also presented skits in German, French, or Spanish that satirized the hypocrisy of some human action or showed in words and actions the true meaning of Christmas.

The Liberty Trio, Thornton Junior College students, Tom Kelly, Mike Asplund, both freshmen, and Herman Pearlberg, sophomore, sang folk songs.

Following a gift distribution by Santa Claus, the Spanish Club made their pinatas, a paper mache woman filled with candy, nuts,

cookies, and other good things to eat.

"Froliche Weihnachten!"
"Joyeux Noel!"
"Feliz Navidad!"

Co-ed Fencing Begins at YMCA

Co-ed fencing instruction for both beginners and intermediates will be offered by the Harvey Y.M.C.A. this winter. The courses are open to both men and women. The beginners and intermediates courses will meet for eight sessions on Wednesday evenings. Both courses will be taught by Art Klaviter, who was tutored for three years by Max Garret, fencing coach at the University of Illinois.

All equipment will be furnished, and each student will be given a handbook. Students will need gym shoes and gym clothes. The fee for each course will be \$8.00 for non-members and \$3.00 for "Y" members.

The beginners course will meet 7:00-7:45 p.m. and the intermediates course will meet from 7:45-8:30 p.m. on Wednesday evenings; both start on January 15, 1964.

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Defense Ace 'Rube' Poindexter Now Proven Star on Offense

By Mike Jerding

One of the brightest spots in TJC basketball coach Don Williams' crystal ball this year has been the always dependable Reuben Poindexter.

"Rube" a 6-3, 180-pound, Harvey sophomore, has been one of the Bulldogs most consistent scorers in early games played this year. He parted the nets for 22 points against Elgin, 28 against Wheaton, 21 against Valparaiso, and 21 Moline.

These points totals compared to last year's, are a great deal higher and to the fact that Rube has definitely improved on his offensive abilities. His secret was practice.

"I worked hard on my jump shot all summer," he stated.

Prior to this season, defense seemed to be his forte.

"I've never played offense that well, so I had to play a better defensive game," Poindexter commented.

Reuben attended Thornton high school and was a member of Thornton's team that placed second in the Illinois state finals in his junior year. In his senior year he helped Thornton to a Sweet Sixteen berth.

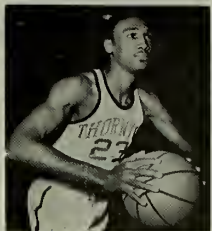
Although he is known to be a quiet, shy type of individual, Reuben has never loafed once. He's the complete ballplayer," Coach Williams said of Rube.

ben has been partly responsible for the tremendous team spirit that the Bulldogs seem to have acquired this year.

A resident of Harvey, Rube lives with his parents and two brothers.

What does his coach think of Reuben? He has nothing but praise. "He's a tremendous team player.

In all the games he's played for



college next year, he plans to

Dr. Logsdon Meets With IASA In Sherman Hotel

Dr. James D. Logsdon, superintendent of school district 205, recently attended a meeting of the Junior College Commission of the Illinois Association of School Administrators at the Sherman Hotel in Chicago.

The meeting was held to plan the commission's strategy for promotion of junior college legislation at the next general assembly. There was also discussion on the possibility of establishing an Illinois Board of Higher Education solely for junior colleges and development of a statewide system of junior colleges.

The Commission intends to meet with Dr. Richard Brown and Dr. Hyman Glenny, representatives of the Illinois Board of Higher Education, in the near future.

eventually become a commercial artist.

However, we at JC won't have to wait until Reuben Poindexter gets his degree before we can appreciate his artistry, we just have to look at the basketball court and watch Rube perform.



Jerry Ferrara, left, and Tom Brotan, both COURIER staff members, recently visited the sweater bar at Eagle Department Store. Jerry is wearing an 80% wool, 10% Orlon acrylic, 10% Alpaca blend at \$9.95. Tom is wearing the popular 70% Shetland and 30% mohair at \$11.95. They are just a couple of the hundred of sweaters to choose from. Prices range from \$4.95 to \$18.95.

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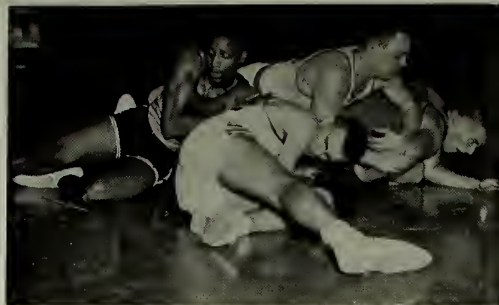
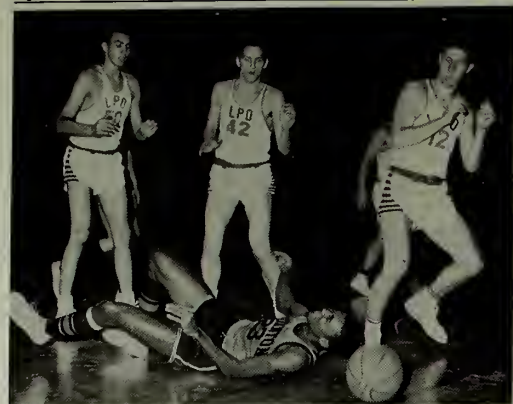


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TJC's Vern Ryan and Paul Bentley (above) grapple for the ball with La Salle-Peru players. Shown at the left is Reuben Poindexter immediately after banging his head. He was taken to hospital for treatment of a possible concussion, but was shortly released.

Amundsen Ends TJC Win Streak

TJC Leads Conference Standings With 4-0 Mark

The Bulldogs of Thornton Junior College are riding the crest of a six game winning streak and currently lead the Northern Illinois Junior College Conference standings with a 4-0 mark.

Although the Bulldogs have yet to score 100 points in a single game the team is averaging 90.8 points per game.

Thornton opened the season with an 81-63 victory over Elgin in IJCC play on Friday, November 22. An encounter scheduled for Monday, November 25, with LaSalle Peru was postponed until Monday, December 9, in respect to the late John F. Kennedy.

The Bulldogs scored a pair of nonleague victories thundering past Wheaton, 99-69, and edging the Valparaiso J-V's, 86-84.

In league competition the Bulldogs defeated Moline, 89-71; LaSalle Peru, 93-52, and Wright, 97-77.

The LaSalle victory was one of the most exciting encounters of the season for the Bulldogs. Trailing, 92-91, sophomore sensation Vern Ryan hit a 30-foot jump shot with :05 left in a double overtime to give Thornton the win.

Ryan tied an all-time Thornton single game scoring mark in the LaSalle conquest scoring 43 points. He now shares the mark with Dave Ring who tallied 43 points in one game during the 1959 season.

Two players currently are averaging better than 20 points per game. Ryan leads the individual scoring race with 152 points for a 25.4 average while sophomore Reuben Poindexter has tallied 134 points in six games for a 22.3 average.

Two other players are averaging in the double figures for six games. Paul Bentley is averaging 13.3 points per game while mate Jim Massick is averaging 11 points.

As a team Thornton is hitting an impressive .474 clip from the floor while holding their opponents to a .357 mark.

Last year Thornton finished with a 21-3 mark under the reigns of Don Williams. In two years of coaching at TJC Williams' teams have now compiled a 27-3 mark for percentage of .900.

Bulldogs Compete In Tournament December 26-27

Holiday cage action for the TJC Bulldogs will consist of a four team tournament on Thursday and Friday, December 26 and 27.

This is the second year for the Holiday tournament with Thornton, Elgin, Bloom and Morton Junior Colleges participating.

Last year Thornton won the first place trophy defeating Bloom, 91-61, and Morton, 99-79.

Action will begin next Thursday at Elgin with Thornton meeting host Elgin at 8:30 p.m. Earlier in the season Thornton defeated Elgin, 81-63.

The scene will shift to Bloom in Chicago Heights next Friday with the losers of Thursday's game meeting at 7 p.m. and the winners battling for the championship at 8:30 p.m.

TJC Grad Signs With AFL Oilers

Owen Dejanovich, a Thornton Junior College graduate, signed last week with the Houston Oilers of the American Football League. The 6-2, 245-pound tackle currently is attending Arizona State.

Dejanovich was a two-time All-American while playing at TJC during the 1959 and 1960 seasons. He was chosen in the 11th round of the recent American Football League draft and signed for an undisclosed sum.

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From The Press Box

By Mike Jerding

It was on a Thursday afternoon last week when I heard a piece of news one thinks happens only in a fairy tale. I was pondering about the fate of Thornton's Bulldogs against a powerful Wright basketball team when someone sauntered up to me and said, "Did you hear? Ollie Carter is eligible!"

This may not have been the most earth-shattering statement ever spoken, but it does need explaining.

First of all, Ollie Carter was an instrumental man in coach Don Williams' plan this year when a ruling made last year was thought to make Carter ineligible because he hadn't carried a 1.5 grade average for a certain amount of semester hours. He sat out the first five games and wouldn't have played till second semester if Pete Schloss hadn't found out at a coaches' conference that the ruling goes into effect this year.

The discovery was especially timely last week because the Bulldogs had to play Wright, a team that is one of the most powerful in the state. Carter was, perhaps, the only man on the TJC squad that knew the Wright ballplayers and how to stop them. He had seen them play and grew up with one of the Wright stars, so Ollie would have been a valuable addition to the team.

Now don't get me wrong, Ollie Carter is no one man team (as he would admit himself), but having him in the line-up gives the Bulldogs another good rebounding and fast-break, Williams-style guard, a top-notch defensive player, and the chance to switch Vern Ryan to a forward position where Vern can use his rebounding ability to greater advantage.

Speaking of Vern Ryan, all those who missed TJC's 93-92 double-overtime victory over LaSalle-Peru on LaSalle's court missed one of the greatest one-man performances Thornton has ever seen.

Ryan chipped in 43 points that night including a basket from 20 feet with 5 seconds left in the double overtime. Every person in that small gym just knew Ryan would take the last shot for Thornton, even Ryan. He had confidence in himself that he could do the job, and he did it.

That 43 points set a new school record for most points scored in a single game and tied a record for most field goals (18).

Reuben Poindexter did not play a good part of that game, because he fell to the floor mid-way in the first half and banged his head badly. So much more of the scoring was put on Ryan's head, and one might say that he came through.

Hand Bulldogs First Defeat In Seven Games

The Bulldogs of Thornton Junior College suffered their first loss the season last night bowing Amundsen JC, 89-87, on the nets' court.

Defeat gives TJC an overall record while maintaining a mark in conference play.

A basket with eight seconds in the game by Amundsen for John Milbrook broke an 86-86 deadlock. A futile shot with 1:00 running out by Thornton's Vern Ryan rolled off the hoop as game ended.

Ryan led all scorers with points while Paul Bentley collected 22.

TJC held a five point half lead, 49-44, and at one time on a ten point margin, 64-54. Amundsen zone proved too much for the Bulldogs in the closing minutes of play.

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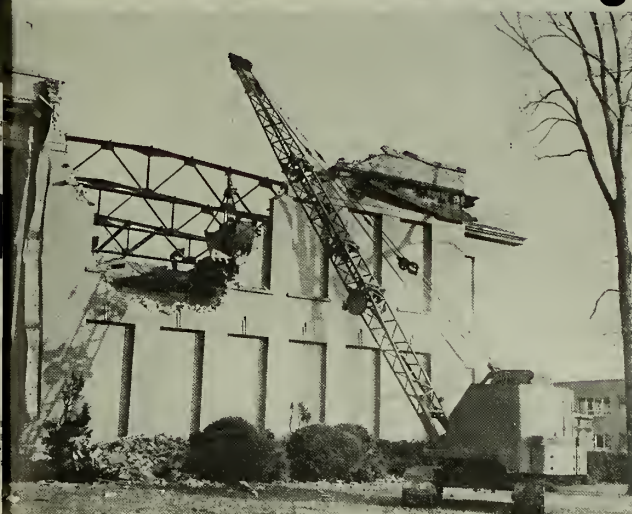
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New Construction Begins at Thornton



The second phase of construction (or destruction as the case may be) began with the razing of the old auditorium to make way for the new 1600 seat auditorium which is a part of a \$4,000,000 building and renovation program now underway

at Thornton High School and Junior College. With all work presently on or ahead of schedule, the new construction should be completed by the beginning of the fall semester for the 1964-1965 school year.

The second phase of the most extensive face-lifting ever to take place at Thornton Township High School and Junior College is now underway.

The mountainous piles of rich black earth, which now cover the Buda athletic field, the thick paste mud covering Broadway and the soles of your shoes, and the mass of wreckage lying at the south end of the high school are all a part of this gigantic \$4,000,000 face-lifting program.

At the present time all work on the new field house and the new auditorium are either on or ahead of schedule. At the present rate both should be ready for use by September first.

Plans for the new auditorium call for a seating capacity of 1,600 as compared to the previous capacity of 770. According to Mr. Howard Doerster, building and grounds supervisor, the colors and lighting arrangement to be used in the new auditorium have not yet been selected. The floor, however, will be tiled and wood panelling will cover the wall extending out from each side of the stage. The new auditorium will be almost twice as deep as the old auditorium and will be about the same width. The stage will be a bit larger with room back stage for individual rehearsal rooms. A small laboratory theater for experimentation with productions in the round and three quar-

ter round will also be used for rehearsal and experimentation with new ideas for staging.

There will be an orchestra pit which will be entered by way of a tunnel located under the stage. The orchestra pit will have no other entrance. There will also be a great deal more room back stage for storage of props and scenery and a large area for construction work. The dressing rooms will be much larger and conveniently located directly behind the stage.

The other new construction area, where the new field house will be, is now being excavated, as everyone who has classes in either of the annexes well knows. The dirt from these excavations is being dumped behind Buda gym. After the gym is torn down, this dirt will be leveled and added to raise the football field and facilitate drainage.

The new field house will extend from the new gym to the North end of the football field. The main playing field will be used for football practice and for track events. Other than the playing field, the field house will house six small gymnasiums, three for basketball, volleyball and other sports of that nature; one dance gym to be used for after game dances, gym jams and other activities; one gym for wrestling, boxing, gymnastics and other related sports; and one gym for miscellaneous uses.

The second floor of the field house will contain men's and women's locker rooms and shower rooms along the West and South walls. The main playing field will take up all of the present field area and the smaller gyms will be located in the area between the present field and the annexes.

The small teachers parking lot between the gym and the field house will be virtually unaffected.

TJC Greets Final Exams; Bluebooks Enter 71st Year

Twice yearly a scourge besets the students of TJC. This blight comes in the form of semester exams. This year the necessary evils will be given from January 17 through the 24th. Facts relating to the occasion follow:

THORNTON JUNIOR COLLEGE

Examination Schedule - Fall Semester 1963-64

Friday, January 17		Wednesday, January 22	
8:00 a.m.		8:00 a.m.	
English 101, 102	Cafeteria	Economics 201	Annex B
Physics 203	230-B	Spanish 101	Annex B
10:15 a.m.		Engineering 101	Cafeteria
English 202	310	10:15 a.m.	
Business 108	240	Geology 101	Annex C
1:00 p.m.		Math 103, 201, 202	Annex C
French 103	Annex B	1:00 p.m.	
3:15 p.m.		Zoology 101	Annex C
Psychology 201	Annex B	Shakespeare 204	311
Monday, January 20		3:15 p.m.	
8:00 a.m.		History 203, 201	Annex B
Chemistry 101, 102, 201	Cafeteria S	Typing 101 (6th period)	321
Accounting 101, 102, 201	Cafeteria-N		
Art (all sections)	226A	Thursday, January 23	
10:15 a.m.		8:00 a.m.	
Speech 108	Annex B	Music 111, 121	102
1:00 p.m.		French 101	Annex B
History 101	Annex B	10:15 a.m.	
English 111	Annex B	Economics 101	Annex B
Tuesday, January 21		Math 102	Annex B
8:00 a.m.		1:00 p.m.	
Typing 102, 201	321	Sociology 101	Annex B
Hygiene 203	Cafeteria	Journalism 105	311
10:15 a.m.		3:15 p.m.	
Physics 201	230-B	German 103	Annex B
English 201	311	Friday, January 24	
English 103	311, 310, C-6, C-1	8:00 a.m.	
1:00 p.m.		Typing 101 (1st period)	321
German 101	Annex B	Spanish 103	Annex B
Business Law 101	Annex C	10:15 a.m.	
3:15 p.m.		Accounting 201	321
Pol. Sci. 101	Annex C	Math 101	Annex B
		1:00 p.m.	
		Geography 101	Annex C
		Education 201	Annex C

Bluebooks spell anxiety to thousands of college students throughout the U.S. Thornton Junior College students will encounter these little friends again next week as they face this semester's final exams.

As most of you know, the bluebook is a small blank paged booklet with a blue cover in which exam questions are answered. Most JC day and night school instructors request their students to write their exams in these booklets.

Written examinations became an established practice in the U. S. in the early 1850's. Bluebooks were put into use shortly afterward for standardization purposes. Bluebooks were first mentioned in literature in 1893. In 1897 this sentence appeared in "Harvard Epitaphs" in Flandrau Magazine: "Sears . . . consumed them all (history facts) like an ogre at his dinner . . . until he could disgorge . . . the facts of five hundred years on his blue book." Since that time most colleges in the United States have used bluebooks and students are forever disgorging facts into them.

Bluebooks may be purchased at the Thornton Bookstore at two for five cents. According to Miss Oppelt, bookstore manager, over 4000 bluebooks are sold each year.

Abe's Birthday

There will be no classes at Thornton Junior College on February 12. On this day, TJC, along with many other schools throughout the Land of Lincoln, will pay its tribute to the 16th President of the United States by closing school on his birthday.

Dean Dulgur Visits Alumni at U of I

Dean Dulgur will participate in a meeting of the Junior College-University Articulation Conference on the campus of the University of Illinois on February 6 and 7.

Junior college deans and superintendents from Illinois will spend part of their time visiting with students presently attending the University of Illinois who have graduated from their junior college.

Mr. Dulgur plans to spend time with alumni of TJC at the university.

"Are You Sure This Is the Right House?"



Firemen hoped the answer to this question was yes. For they had intentionally set fire to this house directly across the street from Buda gym to make way for the new football field. The field will cover the spot where Buda gym now sits and the area directly north of Buda.

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TJC Students Study History

Mr. Chapman Analyzes Subject's Personal Values

History has always been an important subject to mankind. It enabled him to benefit from the experience of others as well as his own. Likewise, the history department is an important one at Thornton Junior College. Over 200 students are now enrolled in this course of academic study.

Mr. Dale Chapman, head of the department, had this to say about the subject: "History is not a technical course of study. It's not a technical skill nor a knowledge one can sell for money. No business man is going to be very interested in your 'A's' in history. 'Practical' men not very long ago to say openly, 'What do you want to go to college for? You're rich!' They will still say that with the same astonished indignation,

yet I enjoy the growing or changing process. The individual unprepared in history is likely to be unused to change and dislike it unless, of course, it is under his own control. I am sorry to see how often people are caught unawares and emotionally unprepared for possibilities and choices when greater knowledge of the past and present would benefit them. I am sorry, too, to find so many people unprepared to enjoy what is going on around them. An interest in people and an enjoyment of society provides mental stimulation and elasticity better than a study of history can do alone, but one's company and society is all too often limited to the community in which one lives, whereas history extends one's social life into other times as well as places."

"History is like travel; it is broadening," said Mr. Chapman. One of the saddest things encountered by Mr. Chapman is the "flag-waving patriot" who knows no history and rejects it as "bunk," yet, is the one that is the quickest to say that America, her people and their politics are going to the dogs. "I am worried about this man," says Mr. Chapman, "because his emotion and anxiety are sincere, whereas his knowledge is limited to his own personal experience and the experiences of his carefully chosen associates." *This is what we as Americans and students need to guard against; and this is one way in which a knowledge of history can be of value.*

What are you studying history for? You can't do anything with it. They are right. About all you can do with a history major is teach, and let me assure you there are far more students of history than there are history teaching jobs."

Why, then, do we study history? Many have for many years found it wise to look into the past to more intelligently work in the future. Mr. Chapman went on to say, "I study history because I am fascinated by growth, development, and change. I think that history itself teaches us that change is constant and inevitable. I do not like radical changes or sudden turnings, and

Old Math Courses Combine Into One

During the second semester a new course will be offered at Thornton Junior College combining the old mathematical courses. The analytical geometry and calculus courses will be combined and the material will be integrated in a way as to facilitate the assimilation of principles basic to both courses. The new course will carry the same credit offered previously and will still be three semesters in length.

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Stopping to catch her breath before rushing off to her next class is Carol Frink, a freshman from Chicago. Carol is in the Liberal Arts curriculum and a member of the Co-ed Club and the Spanish Club. She plans to attend Northern Illinois University in DeKalb next year and major in English. She hopes to teach high school English after graduating.

Enrollment Down For Next Semester

According to Mr. Lee Dulgur, dean, total enrollment in Thornton Junior College will decrease by 40 or 50 students in the spring semester.

This semester there were 755 full-time day students at TJC. As of January 7, 539 of these had registered for next semester. There were 62 new applications accepted and 67 others were being processed on that date. These figures do not include the 75 Thornton High School seniors who are taking some courses in the junior college.

Mr. Dulgur estimated that the total enrollment of full-time day students for the spring semester will be approximately 725.

Reasons for students leaving TJC at the end of the fall semester can be put into three categories Mr. Dulgur said.

"Poor grades, transfers to four year schools, and lack of finances are the most common causes for leaving Thornton between semesters," Dean Dulgur stated.

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Student Senate Plans Include Lounge, Boulderino and Prom

"Members of the Student Senate will complete the redecoration project of the Annex C Lounge during the semester break," said Karen Callanan, president of the Student Senate, at the organization's business meeting Tuesday afternoon.

The project to "put a new face" on the lounge began late in November and will be completed in the next two weeks with the addition of new furniture.

The walls of the lounge were painted a soft blue to add a better atmosphere during Christmas vacation. Mr. Harold Doskey, building superintendent of both Thornton High School and Junior College, directed the work.

The Student Senate will finance the purchase of the new furniture which will be similar to that in the Union Room. Four couches and four chairs of black leather and white marble-topped coffee tables will be added to the present furniture in the lounge. The cost for the furniture is nearly \$500.

During the semester break members of the Student Senate will do sandpaper and varnish to refinish the tables and chairs now in the lounge.

A mural in tribute to the TJC mascot, the Bulldog, will be painted on the south wall of the lounge. Marilyn Lau is chairman of the committee to paint the mural.

Cotton striped curtains, lamps and an information post will be added to the lounge. The information post will provide a place for students to post bulletins and notices.

A probable site and orchestra for the junior college Prom to be held Saturday, June 6, was discussed. Although no definite plans have been decided, the Student Senate is seriously considering the Wadford and Astoria Rooms of the Conrad Hilton hotel.

Boulderino, the annual tug-of-war between freshman and sophomore men, has been scheduled for Friday, May 8. Definite plans will be announced at a later date. The Student Senate approved the

sending of buses to the remaining junior college away games. Information is available on the bulletin boards in school.

Dave Kolton and Mary Ellen Haney were appointed co-chairmen of the second semester Mixer to be held Saturday, February 22, in the Girls Gym. Theme for the evening will be "Meet You In The Alley," and dress for the evening will be hobo clothes.

A mimeographed information bulletin to notify students and faculty members of meeting dates and special activities will be distributed by the Student Senate every Friday starting second semester.

All notices pertaining to school events must be in the main office of the junior college by 12 noon Thursday. The bulletin will be distributed every Friday morning.

REMEMBER REGISTRATION

Final registration for students who have made out preliminary registration blanks is scheduled for January 29 and 30. Students who have not completed the preliminary registration must report to the junior college office.

Registration of students whose last names begin with A through L will be in the junior college library on January 29 from 8:30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. Students whose last names begin with M through Z should be in the library on January 30 during the same hours.

Registration for Thornton evening school will be from January 27-29, during the hours of 7-9:00 p.m., in the first floor of the new wing of the high school.

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Bulldogs Capture Tenth Win; Vern Ryan Reinjures Right Knee

Score Their Sixth League Triumph With 89-55 Romp

Victory number ten was recorded by the Bulldogs of Thornton Junior College Tuesday night as the Don Williams-coached eagles drubbed Bloom of Chicago Heights, 89-55.

The victory was the tenth of the season against a lone defeat for the Bulldogs and moved TJC into second place in the Illinois Junior College Conference standings.

Thornton owns a 6-1 league mark while Amundsen of Chicago, the lone victor over TJC this season, is undefeated with a 5-0 mark.

Reuben Poindeux sparked the offensive attack for the Bulldogs, tallying 23 points. Poindeux hit an impressive 11 of 12 shots from the floor for a sparkling .913 percentage.

The game could prove, however, to be one of the costliest for the Bulldogs. With less than seven minutes gone in the first half, All-American Vern Ryan reinjured his knee and had to be taken out of the game.

Ryan injured the knee in practice during the Christmas holidays and had been receiving treatments from a physician.

The sophomore left the game but returned and played the final five minutes of the first half and periodically during the second half.

Thornton led 49-26 after the first half and increased the bulge by as much as 37 points in the third half, and half before Williams flooded the floor with reserves.

The Bulldogs captured their fifth Illinois Junior College Conference and ninth overall win of the season Thursday, January 9, drubbing Lyons Community College, 104-62.

It was the first time this season the Bulldogs hit the winning mark. Jim Harris hit the 99 and 100th points on a tip-in the closing minutes of the game.

Five players finished in the double figures of scoring, led by forward Reuben Poindeux. Poindeux tallied 18 points while Jim Harris marked 16, Ollie Carter and Chuck Joliff added 14 apiece and Jim Massick totaled 12.

Thornton captured top honors in the Holiday JuCo Doubleheader defeating Morton of Berwyn, 85-65, and Elgin Community College, 92-76.



John Hasler, Lyons center, attempts to break up a pass by TJC guard Charlie Joliff. The Bulldogs broke 100 for the first time this season by defeating Lyons 104-62.

Charlie Joliff Leads Freshmen to 56-53 Win

The freshmen cagers of TJC defeated members of the Thornton High School and Junior College faculty, 56-53, in an exhibition game preceding the Bulldogs-Lyons Community encounter last Thursday night.

The freshmen didn't have any regularly scheduled games so coach Don Williams felt the experience gained would be beneficial in reserve roles needed later this season.

The freshmen owned a 16-15 first quarter lead and held a two-point, 31-29, halftime bulge. The frosh increased the lead to four points going into the final period.

Charlie Joliff led the winners in scoring with 13 points while Jim Harris totaled 11 and Halbert marked 10.

Tom Hananah, Thornton High School assistant varsity basketball coach, captured game honors with 21 points.

Next Smoker Set For February 20

The second Men's Club smoker of the 1968-69 school year will be held on February 20, at 6:30 in the high school cafeteria.

Tom Girard, general chairman of the smoker, said that the movie scheduled will be "Thirty Seconds Over Tokyo," a war drama starring Spencer Tracy and Robert Mitchum. It is a semi-documentary drama based on the diary of Captain Ted Lawson, who piloted a B-25 in the first World War II raid on Japan. Lawson began to train in 1942 as one of James Doolittle's volunteers for an unknown special mission, made the historic low-level attack on Tokyo, and crashed landed on the China coast.

Hamburgers and cakes will again be served to all present.

All men's club members are invited and will have to show their membership card to be admitted.

Co-chairmen for the smoker are Tom Kelly, Ken Bailey, and Casey Skorpinski.

Semester Exams Idle the Bulldogs Until January 24

Semester tests will idle the TJC Bulldogs next week but a heavy schedule the first week of February will find the cagers playing four games in six days.

Tuesday's game with Bloom Community College was the final game for the Bulldogs until Friday, January 24, when TJC hosts downstate threat Lincoln in a non-conference title. Tipoff time will be 8 p.m. in the Lincoln encounter.

The first week in February will find the Bulldogs playing four games in six days—three of them being away.

On Friday, January 31, the Bulldogs will host Morton of Berwyn in a league contest and 24-hours later will travel to Canton for a non-league test. Lyons of LaGrange, a 104-62 victim of the Bulldogs earlier this season, will be a non-league opponent on Tuesday, February 4.

League action will continue on Thursday, February 6, when the Bulldogs travel to Chicago for a contest with the Raiders of Wilson Junior College.

Local YMCA Offers Indoor Golf Classes

The Harvey Memorial Y.M.C.A. is doing something to keep the spirit of golf alive among local "duffers." With the first sessions starting on Tuesday, January 7, 1968, the Harvey "Y" begins their eight week indoor golf courses.

Designed to help beginners and experienced players alike, the course is under the watchful eye of Mr. Matt Carvey, Co-Professional at Silver Lake Golf Club. Open to both men and women 17 years and over, the course fee is \$8.00 for "Y" members and \$13.00 for non-members. Students of the course must furnish their own golf clubs for the practice sessions. (Number 3 wood, 3, 5, 9 iron and putter are the recommended weapons.)

Course No. 1 will meet from 6:30-7:30 p.m., course No. 2 follows from 7:30-8:30 p.m., and course No. 3 meets from 8:30-9:30 p.m. All three courses have Mr. Carvey as their instructor.

Cage Standings

NORTHERN ILLINOIS JUNIOR COLLEGE GAA STANDINGS

	W	L	Pct.
Amundsen	6	0	1.000
Thornton	5	1	.833
Joliff	4	1	.800
Wright	5	1	.833
Crane	4	2	.666
Wilson	4	2	.666
Platz	3	3	.500
Lowell	3	3	.500
Molin	1	4	.250
Lyons	1	7	.125
Bloom	0	7	.000



From The Press Box

By Mike Jerding

Over the holidays, Vern Ryan, TJC's star forward, was injured in a practice session. The injury wasn't extremely serious, but made me stop and remember another injury almost one year ago.

It was March of 1967 and Thornton was in the midst of a basketball tournament at Joliet. The Bulldogs had just finished knocking off the number one offensive team in the country, Centralia, though Thornton won, it was a costly victory, for it was in game that a fellow by the name of Al Dehnert fractured his wrist.

Dehnert was considered the team leader and was a proven star. The fracture meant that he was definitely out of the semi-final game. Joliet. Dehnert's not being out on the floor did not go unnoticed by his teammates, and Thornton was beaten for the second that season by Joliet. The defeat meant the end of the road for the Bulldogs in the tournament.

Dehnert was depended upon by his mates, perhaps too much. Could the same thing happen this year with Ryan? Could the cagers sink all their hopes on the All-American and then have injury wipe out their hopes?

Ryan's current injury might be a good thing (although I'll Vern would disagree). It could prepare the Bulldogs for the worst. The loss of a player of such caliber wouldn't be cause for celebration's share of notoriety, but basketball fans know that the players

Determination Makes Up for Jim Massick's "Lack of Beef"

The big scorers and the big men in basketball usually get the lion's share of notoriety, but basketball fans know that the players are just as valuable to his team as the high scorer. Such is the case of James Massick, veteran sophomore guard on Thornton basketball team.

Massick is neither a big scorer nor a big man. At present, he is averaging about ten points a game. He stands three inches over six feet, which is only average height in modern roundball, but he weighs only 140 pounds. Massick, one would assume, is not a candidate for a football tackle, so he has had to compensate for his lack of "beef" with determination and hustle.

Head basketball coach Don Williams is very aware of Massick's hustle and Jim's other attributes. Said Williams, "Jim's importance to our team can't be shown in numbers, figures, or totals. His overall dedication to the game should act as an inspiration to other future cagers."

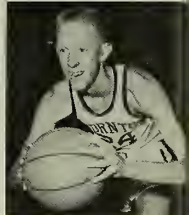
Jim has one of the oddest shots in the game of basketball. As he springs forward to shoot, he holds the ball close to his forehead, and wraps his right hand around the ball so that it seems that his right hand is situated clear around to the left side of the ball.

"When I was younger," he said of the strange shot, "I was too small to shoot the ball from far unless I had something on the ball so I developed a shot."

Massick, however, seems to more pleasure out of passing than scoring.

"I just want to win," he declares.

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Bulldog Statistics

TJC BULLDOGS (10-4)

	SA	B	F	FM	FF	FT
Ryan	223	10	9	31	23	234
Poindeux	189	10	07	39	35	221
Reuber	139	10	0	20	1	139
Massick	110	14	24	10	30	112
Reuber	78	20	38	30	21	92
Joliff	57	22	13	5	18	49
Carter	37	12	13	1	10	47
Harris	31	14	5	2	10	30
Goffin	30	4	4	2	8	18
Halbert	10	1	0	4	1	12
Johnson	13	2	1	7	8	11
Hopkins	12	1	0	3	1	11
Fox	2	1	5	3	1	5
Mearns	1	0	0	0	2	1
Booker	2	0	0	0	1	0

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NEXT THURSDAY

Have 'Fags' Will Smoke

Despite the recent report by the Surgeon General on the dangers of smoking and its effects, the Men's Club will hold their first smoker of the second semester February 20, in the high school cafeteria.

The smoker, beginning at 6:30 p.m., will feature the movie "Thirty Seconds Over Tokyo," starring Spencer Tracy and Robert Mitchum.

Hamburgers and cokes will be served to all present, but each person must bring his own supply of cigarettes. Those trying to kick the "cig habit" are invited to bring their Bantron pills and chewing gum.

All Men's Club members are invited and will have to show their membership card to be admitted.

Heard at a recent Men's Club meeting: "Us Men's Club members would rather fight than switch!"

Announce Plans For Faculty Tea

Plans for the Coed Club's Tea for women faculty members and Coed Club members were announced after last week's Coed Council meeting. The tea will be Thursday, March 5, in the Coed Club room.

Sponsoring the event is the Kappa Sorority, with sorority leader Paula Rothenshoefer, sophomore, serving as hostess. The girls also plan to invite the wives of the male faculty members.

Discussed at the council meeting were the plans for the annual "girl-sk-boy" dance known as the "Stagette." The theme for the dance is "Tender Trap"; the date is April 18; the time is 8 p.m.; and the place is the Lincolnshire Country Club.

Council members also wish to thank the students for their contributions given to Coed Club "Angels" in December. The donations will be used to support the Coed Club's foster child, Mark.

Prom Will Be Held At Edgewater Beach

Final plans for the Thornton Junior College Spring Prom were announced by Karen Callanan, sophomore, Monday afternoon at the regular business meeting of the Student Senate.

This year's prom will be held Saturday, June 6, in the Crystal Ballroom of the Edgewater Beach Hotel, 3300 North Lake Shore Drive. Music will be provided by Peter Palmer, a twelve piece orchestra with four vocalists.

A theme and price of bids will be announced in future editions of *The Courier*.

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TJC's Valentine Sweetheart



Mary Ann Johnson, the *Courier* Coed for February 14, extends to all our readers the *Courier's* wishes for a happy St. Valentine's Day. A sophomore from Dolton, Mary Ann is in the liberal arts curriculum and plans to attend the University of Illinois next year. She hopes to become a teacher of the mentally retarded after graduation.

Second Semester Staff Announced

Second semester staff positions for the *Courier* were announced today by Mr. John Stanfield, adviser, and JC English instructor.

Tom Renner, a sophomore of Riverdale, will assume the responsibilities as editor of the *Courier* replacing Tom Girard who filled the position during the first semester. Tom Girard will become the adviser's assistant and chief of reporters during the spring semester.

Tom Renner served as co-sports editor and photographer for the *Courier* last semester. His journalism experience started when he was a freshman at Thornton Township High School. He served as photographer for four years and was sports editor during his senior year. He also has been sports editor of the *Pointer* Publications since 1960.

Assisting Tom as editor will be Richard Yonda, managing editor; Rosemary Philpot, assistant managing editor; Gerald Compton, feature editor; Jasper Ferrara, advertising manager; and Mike Jerding, sports editor. Reporters will include Karen Boward, Tom Kelly, Carol Plante, and Doug Smith.

TJC Choir Plans Spring Concerts

The junior college choir will present several concerts during the spring semester according to Mr. Kent Newbury, choir director and music teacher at Thornton High School and Junior College.

The choir will present several numbers at the Thornton PTA College Night on Tuesday, February 25, and will sing for the Thornton P & TA on Monday, March 2.

Several selections will be presented at the Thornton Township Teachers' Institute on Tuesday, March 10.

Choir members are currently rehearsing for the annual spring concert to be presented in May at Thornton High School in Dolton.

"A variety of music primarily in the categories of sacred, folk and show tunes are being planned for the spring presentations," said Mr. Newbury.

Some of the selections will include, "Tonight" from the West Side Story; "Gonna Build a Mountain," "Manhattan Towers," a musical narrative, "Psalm 150" written by Mr. Newbury and "Lonesome Valley."

Mr. Newbury would like to extend an invitation to all junior college men and women to join the choir. The choir meets fourth period every Tuesday and Thursday.

We Need Your Help

Every organization at Thornton Junior College, social, religious, scholastic, or service, has been asked by the *Courier* to appoint a publicity chairman for the coming semester.

Tom Renner, *Courier* editor-in-chief and Rosemary Philpot, assignments and feature editor, said this was necessary because of the very small staff operating the *Courier* this semester.

Mr. John Stanfield, English instructor and *Courier* adviser said, "With the small staff this semester, we cannot hope to cover each organization's meetings and activities. We must depend upon some method of this nature to give publicity space to those organizations which make up such an important segment of our legitimate news coverage."

Each publicity chairman should report their group's activities to Rosemary Philpot, personally, in the *Courier* office, or write the material in a very brief form, place the publicity chairman's name, address, and telephone number on the sheet and leave it with Mr. Stanfield, Jerry Compton, or Tom Girard.

Stanfield Speaks To Circle K Club

Guest speaker at the Circle K meeting yesterday morning was Mr. John Stanfield, English instructor and *Courier* advisor.

Mr. Stanfield's speech, "Are You Afraid to Laugh?" traced the development of humor in contemporary America. Mr. Stanfield concentrated on the seriousness of our fears involving humor.

Neal Franklin, sophomore, president of the club, stated that the Circle K is looking for new members who are interested in serving the school and community. Meetings are held at 7:30 a.m. each Thursday morning in the Harvey Room of the YMCA.

"What's Next?" Will Be Held On Saturday, Feb. 22

Co-eds and men will gather in the small girls' gym for the first mixer of the second semester on Washington's Birthday, Saturday, February 22, from 8 to 11 p.m.

Mary Ellen Haney and Dave Kolton, co-chairmen, urge everyone to come and hear Ken Bailey and his Road Runners. Decorations have been planned by Mary Sullivan, decorations chairman. Admission is free. Proper dress will be dress and sweatshirts. Mary Ellen Haney wants everyone, "Come prepared for 'crazy' refreshments and a great time."

Next week, Mary Fitzgerald, Vera Folks, Joan La Rue, Sandi Nelson, Carolyn Leich, Carol Frink, Dave Logsdan, and Gail Spangler, armed with magic markers and question mark signs, will try a new person to person publicity campaign.

If you want to help plan "What's Next?", contact Mary Ellen Haney, Dave Kolton, or Mary Sullivan.

Two New Clubs Are Organized

A consciousness of the world's progress and problems is very important to college students.

Because of the lack of a chance to express their opinions and discuss major world happenings with fellow students, many students have shown interest in the formation of a discussion group. The purpose of this group would be to allow students to vent their opinions on such topics as art, politics, science, religion, philosophy, and current events.

Several junior college instructors have acknowledged the need for such a group and have expressed their willingness to sponsor or aid in any way the formation of such a group. Instructors include: Mr. Dale Chapman, history instructor; Miss Mary Comegys, history and politics instructor; and Mr. John Stanfield, English and speech instructor.

The first meeting of the group will be Tuesday, February 18, at 4 p.m. in the Union Room. All students interested in the formation of such a group are urged to come to this important meeting.

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A new club has been formed at TJC to foster an interest in the field of business administration and related areas. The club held its first meeting Tuesday, February 11, with Edward Fahrner, sophomore, acting as temporary chairman.

The primary objective of the club will be to draw the students of commerce and business administration together to discuss the problems, ambitions, aspirations and compensations of the modern business executive.

According to Fahrner, the organization hopes to bring a leading executive of the immediate area to speak to the organization.

Mr. George Clark, instructor, is faculty sponsor.

College Open House Set For February 25

The Thornton Township High School and Junior College Parent-Teacher Association will sponsor a College Night for parents of high school and junior college students on Tuesday, February 25, at 8 p.m.

The program is being planned to help inform parents who want their children attending college for the first time next fall as well as those with sons or daughters planning to transfer credits from TJC to four year universities or colleges.

Discuss Financial Aid
Mr. Carl Beier, assistant principal and director of college placement for the high school, will address the parents on the proper planning and financing of a college education in the high school and junior college cafeteria following a short business meeting of the PTA.

"Many parents and students are confused on how to declare financial need for college," said Mr. Beier, "we hope through this discussion to make it clearer."

Plan Open House
The classrooms and other facilities of the junior college will be opened for inspection following the discussion in the cafeteria.

According to Dean Delgar, instructor of junior college courses will be on hand to meet with the parents of students during the open houses.

Serve Refreshments
Refreshments will be served in the Union Room following the open house according to Mrs. Jasper Tromp, president of the Thornton Township High School and Junior College PTA.



Faculty members preparing for the college night on February 25 include: Seated (left to right), Mrs. Jasper Tromp, president of the PTA; Mrs. Wayne Murphy, chairman of the open house; and Miss Adelaide Childs, TJC dean of women.

Standing, Mr. Lee Dalgard, dean of the college; Mr. Carl Beier, director of college placement for the high school; Mr. Kent Newbury, choir director; and Mr. Byron Keck, TJC dean of men.

The members of the Student Senate have once again demonstrated their outstanding qualities of leadership and organizational excellence by the exceptionally fine job they have done in refurbishing the annex "C" lounge. They have shown what can be accomplished when men and women work together in harmony.

It now becomes the responsibility of everyone who uses the annex "C" lounge to do his share in keeping it clean and orderly. By doing this each of us can exhibit more clearly his personal satisfaction with and appreciation of a job well done. A couple of ways might be by remembering that the floor is not an ash tray nor are the new chairs foot stools.

student senate rates 'a' for 'c'

through which we can demonstrate our pride in the lounge might be by remembering that the floor is not an ash tray nor are the new chairs foot stools.

The lounge is a place to relax and study in comparative comfort but not your comfort at the expense of those who come after you. If you want to be appreciated, be neat. The person who meets you at the door as you leave may never know your name but he will know and appreciate your virtue of neatness.

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The United States Olympic Team has once again established a sterling record at the International Winter Olympics. Perhaps the term I'm looking for is "sterile record." Once again the "affluent society" has taken a step backward. Once again there is evidence many American athletes were more interested in all-night parties and drinking bouts than they were in representing their nation.

usa olympians true americans

Perhaps this thought is unrealistic, and I hope it is, but we who are being trained for future leadership are going to be faced with many challenging problems and trying situations. The basic question seems to be whether we are going to face them squarely, or whether we are going to run? If we decide to stay and struggle with them, we should remember that even in today's world, particularly in those fields of scientific technology and international politics, there is no such thing as a silver medal for second place. The game is always played for keeps.

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Higher education may be coming into its own. At least, if U.S. Senate action is any indication of the federal government's feeling of responsibility toward the education of today's young American, we finally have something concrete.

The United States Senate has approved legislation authorizing one and two-tenths billions of dollars worth of loans and grants for construction of academic buildings on our country's college campuses.

This action is the first major new program of Federal Aid to education in the years, and it is considered a landmark in the history of public support for higher education.

This new bill extends assistance to institutions of all kinds—public and parochial—providing the money goes for academic buildings or to meet expanding enrollments. The big question seems to be just how much money will be available for each of the nation's 2,100 individual colleges in our fifty states.

Another shot in the arm for higher education was the statement from the Educational Policies Commission last month. In their annual report, the Commission made up of leading American educators, said, "Unless opportunity for education beyond high school can be made available to all, then the American promise of individual dignity and freedom cannot be extended to all."

It was interesting to note that the annual report emphasizes that the two years of additional education beyond high school they were recommending should be directed primarily at intellectual growth, not vocational or technological training.

higher education regains foothold

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Book Fair

By Jim Bachman

Harvey has what Harvey's always needed — a book store. Mr. Murray Holmes, owner of the Harvey News Agency, opened his shop, which he calls aptly enough, The Harvey Book Store, Thursday, February 6, 1963.

If your friends take you to the library, you can't find a book or if you need something to shove under that short table leg, rush on down to 17 East 164th Street. That's where the Harvey Office Supply used to be located.

In stock are around four thousand titles, and Mr. Holmes plans to have a couple of thousand more. When questioned about his other plans for the future, Mr. Holmes asked, "Wat son?" I repeated the question. "Well, eventually we want to have the textbooks for all the schools in the area, and we may have a few current best sellers in hardback."

What kind of book are you looking for?

Books for You

You can get Dr. Ziswago, *Nine Stories* by Salinger, and James Baldwin's *Go Tell It On The Mountain*. But maybe you're more interested in dictionaries, foreign language dictionaries, thesauri, or "how to study" books. They're here, including a hard bound edition of the *New World Dictionary*.

Many of the titles you need for literature classes can be found in a *Signet Classic* edition. Especially interesting from this publisher are plays of Shakespeare and separate volumes with delightful cover drawings in ink splashed with a little bright color.

Mentor Books offer, among other things, *A Short History of Australia* and *The Future of Architecture*. Washington Square publishes Freud—as does everybody. Thompson, and Upton Sinclair. Premier must think war, sex, and Plato worthwhile because they publish books about them.

I saw some volumes about the papal encyclicals, call girls, the Dead Sea Scrolls, Tarzan, and primitive song. This selection ought to interest a large group of readers.

Yes, they carry *Lord of the Flies* (walk down the middle aisle to the back of the store). Mad paperback are also available for those of discriminating tastes.

Magazines Too

As well as books, there are magazines numbering in my poor power to add or subtract. If you buy "Playboy" special jazz and hi-fi issue, please don't try to tote along "Saturday Review," "The Reporter," "The New Yorker," or the "Atlantic" — they make a kind of heavy bundle.

Near the magazines are children's books, comic books, cook books, and if you care to look hard enough under the cookbooks, a collection of twelve essays by Bertrand Russell, winner of the Nobel Prize for Literature in 1950. It's entitled, *Unpopular Essays*.

Two perils face you: Half-way down each aisle there's a step you might stumble over. Fulton J. Sheen considers it proper to yell at harmless book lovers from his seat on a shelf, "Go to Heaven."

Asks for Help

Finally, if you can't find something, you can ask the helpful salesclerks. You probably won't have to thank: they will ask you what you want and tell you that. If there's something you would like that they don't have, so can order it for you. This will happen every ten minutes if your personality is as appealing as mine must be.

And if you don't care much for books they might still be giving chocolates away free.

Evening School Enrollment of 2645 Sets Record High

The spring enrollment for adult evening education at Thornton Township High Schools and Junior College has increased 84 per cent compared to the enrollment last spring according to Mr. Arthur Stojalski, director of the program. The present enrollment of 2,645 is the largest of any spring semester.

In the four years that Mr. Stojalski has been the director of adult

education, the enrollment has been constantly increasing. According to Mrs. Ruth Fisher, secretary for adult education office, "Enrollment for the evening classes has been very successful, and this spring semester should be one of our smoothest."

Classes in adult education are offered on the elementary, high school, college, and special interest levels. New classes offered this semester are Shakespeare, American Literature, Hygiene, and Psychology. Among the special interest classes are Cooking International, Language of Bridge, and Speed Reading.

Philosophical View Will Be Presented By Latest Kazan Film

America, America is a film written, produced and directed by Elia Kazan. Kazan has previously won two Academy Awards for *On the Waterfront* and *Gentleman's Agreement* (and this week he will receive an Oscar for the other side of the street, having directed for the stage in New York's newest legitimate theater, Arthur Miller's *After the Fall*).

The film begins in Anatolia, Turkey, in the year 1896. The Greek and Armenian community suffer under Turkish rule. The Zopouglou family is Greek. Stavros is the oldest son. *America* is his story.

Lives in Turkey

Stavros lives with his father and mother, his three sisters and four brothers. It is his dream to go to America. *America* is about two things, (a) the working out, the growing up of a young man.

Stavros leaves the countryside and the little town he grew up in and goes first to Constantinople. He stays in Constantinople for a while and finally travels third class to America. Stavros is the country boy to the city man, and he has his first mistake; and his first women in the usual categories; professional, contemporary, and older. Many stories have been written about young men from the country who go to the city to make their fortune; and *America* is a film on this order: except it is not about a mere ambition, but a dream. As to the dream, Kazan, to his credit, has you realize that you can't always have your choice of fair means or foul where dreams are concerned. This is good.

Becomes An Adventure

Somewhere along the way however the aspect of growing up and the drama of the elaboration of a dream are lost, and the film becomes more of an adventure story about an immigrant coming to America. For me then the film progressively lost immediacy as it moved from, what shall we say, testament to document. But it is a good film. It meanders, it takes its time, it's comfortable, it's familiar. It is a rather old fashioned film with a nice story.

As to authenticity, we don't know. It was shot in Greece; but aside from an occasional feeling for Italianism, some love of stuff of two Turkish beauties, we just don't know. We really can't tell screen Greeks from screen Italians. The cast speaks generally in the cadenced emphasis which passes for the rendition of a foreign language. There is a curious quality though, as if lines were being read rather than spoken. Stavros is played by Stathis Giallis, a young Greek who occasionally looks like a Greek Gardner McKay. We liked him.

Conclusion Is Credible

Kazan generally concerns himself in his films with the outsider, the loner; it is essentially a romantic position. *America* is his main stream. But happily, and more to the point, the progression and conclusion of *America* is entirely credible. After all, the Kazan family, and lots of other families, did come to America. It is a case when sentiment and truth can believably merge.

Did Not Function

There was a period when the evening school did not function until World War II, when the need for trained engineers was very urgent and once again the evening school took on responsibility for the community. With the termination of the University of Illinois special courses were offered in engineering. Teachers were selected from men in industry, men who trained as teachers but as technicians. The enrollments were good but the drop-out rate was high. The materials were difficult and students lacking sufficient background were unable to cope with the training. However, the evening school served the emergency need and provided the space and the training for students able to handle the material.

The evening school idea was started and beginning in 1940 other courses were offered. To meet the needs of the businessmen in the Thornton Township community, courses were offered in typing, shorthand, bookkeeping, and accounting to help train women for the available jobs. Refreshers courses in high school mathematics were offered to assist the returning veteran to better prepared for college work. Classes in English and speech as well as swimming and sewing were also offered.

No College Courses Till '46

There were no college evening courses until 1946 when evening college courses were initiated. General Psychology with 12 students and Accounting with 16. This was the beginning of the Junior College evening program.

Many changes have taken place. Several directors have served the evening schools and more courses have been available in the curriculum. High School credit courses have been added for those people who did not finish high school as desired to receive additional high school education. Special interest courses have been included to satisfy the individuals need for constructive use of leisure time, to learn a new skill, to make new friends, to do something worthwhile, and improve one's self. The great growth has been in the courses offered for Junior College credit. From two courses in 1946 the program has grown to 50 courses.

Teachers are for the most part regular day school teachers, trained by the State Department. Qualified laymen are secured to teach courses in specialized areas.

Education Scene Changing; Expenses And Ideas Plentiful

Are Americans getting the best schools for their money? Exactly what makes a good school?

There are 1,200,000 classrooms in the United States, but before this decade is over, we will need an additional 1,000,000. This year alone, a new construction bill in this country will be \$2 billion.

The idea of the cellular school, individual classrooms in which students are taught by one teacher, has been losing ground for some time. The trend is toward team teaching in large areas which can be partitioned into smaller units. Good lighting, acoustics and air conditioning are now accepted as essential elements for better student performance.

Combine Beauty and Economy
The best designed schools combine beauty and economy with the balance of structural mass, clean lines, and proper proportions of color, glass, and stone. School architects are using more and more natural stone. Stone not only enhances a structure, but also gives it strength and means substantial savings in maintenance costs.

School construction costs have given community officials and taxpayers some of their biggest headaches. Since 1934, the cost of building schools has risen 150 percent. Although this is not as high as the rise in the cost of all types of construction for the same period, it doesn't necessarily mean taxpayers are getting a bargain.

The Citizens' Role?
Probably the main reason for the smaller rise in school costs is that politicians often prefer cheaper construction bills in order to make a good impression on the voters. School construction costs have been a major item on the taxpayers' money. They tend to use cheaper materials in place of the longer lasting materials.

What can taxpayers do to see that they get good value for their money? School construction dollar? Civic leaders note it takes more than just a passing interest in local affairs. They urge frequent attendance at municipal and school board meetings.

Only then will officials and public begin to realize the practical, educational, and cultural advantages of constructing schools of lasting strength and beauty.

Harvey YMCA and TJC Offer Career Tips

Thornton Junior College and The Harvey Memorial YMCA have announced a combined program of vocational information will be given, free of charge, to those men and women who seem to have difficulty in deciding what profession they should enter.

The purpose of this program will be to give college students the opportunity to explore different vocational fields by first-hand contact with business and professional men. They will talk to many times students enter a profession with an idealistic rather than a practical idea of what their profession is going to be like, and due to this many young people have become disheartened and dissatisfied.

If the student could meet and talk to someone who is already in the profession he would like to enter, perhaps he could gain a real insight into that vocation which would make it easier for him to make a better choice.

In order to provide a flexible program for the vocational field, in junior college students, a roster of business and professional men who would be on call to meet with college students is being developed. When a student expresses an interest in learning more about a particular vocational area, an appointment will be made with an individual who is listed on the vocations roster, located in the dean's office. If you are interested in taking

'My Heart Belongs To Daddy' Stars Durante, Jackson, Temple & Mae West

"My Heart Belongs To Daddy" was the theme of the Coed Club's annual Father-Daughter banquet which was held last night at Chuck Cavallini's in Midlothian. Each Coed and her "favorite" man were greeted by hostesses from the Beta sorority, and the father was given a red carnation. Each couple chose a table in the room reserved for the banquet.

The honored guests for the evening, Miss Adelaide Childs, Mr. and Mrs. Bryon Kee, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Duglar, and other faculty members, sat in front of the stage which was used for the entertainment.

Student Senate Completes Work In Annex Lounge

A new and refreshing look has been added to Thornton Junior College with the redecorating of the Annex C Lounge by the Student Senate.

In addition to the redecoration, new furniture has been added to provide more seats for the students. The furniture purchased includes black reception room couches and matching foot hassocks and new coffee tables.

The walls, a light blue, were painted by Marilyn Lau and the direction of Mr. Harold Doster, building superintendent. The outstanding feature of the room is a large bulge on one of the walls painted by Marilyn Lau and Dennis Delany. The windows and the woodwork were washed before painting by Gail Dunker, Mary Ellen Haney, Mary Ann Johnson, and Karen. Karen and Gail are also making curtains for the windows.

The study tables were completely refurnished by Dan Fox, Neil Franklin, Tom Renner, Wayne Marley, and Dennis Kunka, who all sanded and revarnished them.

Karen Callanan, president of the Student Senate said, "The room in its former condition was disgusting. No student could possibly take pride in a room that looked like a 'pig sty.' We thought that if we redecorated the room and added bright new furniture, we could give the students an adequate place to study and relax and also help relieve the crowded condition of the Union Room."

"Dean Duglar, Mr. Howard Doster, and Mr. J. A. Peterson, business manager, were all very cooperative in helping the Student Senate to see this project through."

"We hope the students of TJC will take pride in the room and cooperate in keeping it clean and beautiful," added Karen.

Harvey Forms Jaycee Chapter

Harvey's Junior Chamber of Commerce, a civic organization for young men was formed recently. The membership in the organization is open to young men between 21 and 36 years of age who live, work or have an interest in the community and its welfare.

Meetings are held on the first and third Tuesday of every month in the meeting room of the First State Bank of Harvey, 154th and Dixie Highway.

Students and men faculty members at Thornton Junior College who qualify for membership in the Harvey Jaycees are cordially invited to attend the next meeting on Tuesday, February 19.

advantage of the "Vocations Roster" contact either Mr. Kee, Dean of Men, or Mr. Jim Aull at the Harvey YMCA for further information.

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Marilynn Lau, Beta sorority leader, gave the welcome address, and Charlene Trotta gave a tribute to her father while Mr. Trotta gave the response.

After the dinner of fruit cocktail, appetizers, mostacioli, fried chicken, roast beef, salad, baked stuffed potatoes and, and chifon pie, the Beta sorority members provided entertainment. Carolyn Leick was the master of ceremonies for the program, "Heart of Broadway," which consisted of different imitations of famous personalities.

Dressed as a little girl, Cheryl Zarembka portrayed Shirley Tem-

ple by singing "On the Good Ship Lollipop." Kathy Hagen, Tina Deussen, and Joy Fischer impersonated the McGuire Sisters and sang "Mutual Admirability Society." Dressed as Cyd Charise, Jean Malkowski danced to modern jazz. In a pantomime Carolyn Leick and Jimmy Kavanaugh portrayed Jimmy Durante and Eddie Jackson in "Me and My Shadow." Singing the theme song, "My Heart Belongs to Daddy," and portraying Mae West was Mary Fitzgerald. In her top hat, white gloves, and dark costume Mary Ann Johnson, between the acts, changed the signs that announced the next number.

Summer Employment Is Offered To College Students and Instructors

Summer employment for 1964 is available to Thornton Junior College students and instructors who are interested in working for an organization which offers summer jobs. These organizations, which hire additional personnel for the summer months, give students and instructors a chance to earn extra money and broaden their experiences.

These job opportunities can be found in all of the states and are available to those who apply early. The organizations which offer jobs are summer camps, Boy Scouts of America, Girl Scouts of America, YMCA, YWCA, Federal agencies, resort hotels, businesses and industries, restaurants, ranches, motels, and national parks.

Because the number of job opportunities varies from only a few to several hundred in each organization, there is no way to predict or control the number of applicants who write to any given employer. Those who send letters of application early are most likely to secure the type of position desired, and individuals who wait until after the first of June will be lucky to secure any type of job.

Letters of application should be sent to the employer including all

qualifications and the reasons for wanting the job. A personal data sheet should also be included containing such information as age, height, weight, address, educational qualifications, work experience, hobbies, personal interests, and references.

Donna May Riley, a student TJC graduate and presently a student at Northern Illinois University, obtained one of these summer jobs at Cedar Point Lodge, Sandusky, Ohio, for the past two summers. She worked as a cashier for the rides at the large amusement park and as a waitress at the Hotel Brackers.

More information and a list of the states, jobs, and employers can be found in Summer Employment Directory, which can be obtained in the library.



From The Press Box

By Mike Jerding

Intramural basketball will make its inaugural appearance next Wednesday night and there are some interesting aspects about the league that may not be apparent to many of the participants.

Intramurals should be played solely for recreation but one of the teams in this program, this idea of recreation just never existed.

There are some excellent basketball players walking the halls of this college that aren't on the varsity. It's not that some of these boys couldn't make the team, most of them don't have the time or the desire. However, most of the male portion of TJC's student body don't have the knack for the game, but these fellows enter intramurals for the fun of trying.

Most of the men who can play the game well are on a few selected teams right now. Dan Fox, who is chairman of the league this year, has been so intent when he let the men choose their own teams. The teams consisting of such talented collegiates are well stocked and expect to win the first place trophy, but these teams are only a few.

This is what is essentially wrong with the league. These "good" teams are literally going to trample the poorer teams because they're

out for the trophy and the glory of being so good. But is this the object of intramurals? If you've ever competed in a sport, you don't enjoy being beaten 2-0 in basketball, 105-32 in basketball, 56-0 in football, or 20-0 in hockey especially if you're out there playing the game for the fun of it. Hard feelings and resentment are not impossible under such circumstances.

Loading selected teams with the cream of the crop in basketball players is not my idea of true intramural sportsmanship. The attitude of competition is not foremost; the attitude of fair-play and enjoyment is. If it isn't this year, then next year I suggest the teams be picked fairly by someone who knows of the abilities of most of the junior college men. The teams will be more even and more men will get more out of the intramural program.

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Repertory Plays At Civic Theatre

The National Repertory Theater held a promotion meeting recently for over 80 Chicago area high school and college editors to encourage more students to attend its plays.

The theater group is currently at the Chicago Civic Theatre until February 29, and will present three plays: *The Seagull*, by Anton Chekhov, *The Crucible*, by Arthur Miller, and *Ring Road the Moon*, by Jean Anouilh and translated by Christopher Fry. Tickets range in price from \$2.75 to \$6.00.

The three part repertory has been hailed by critics in each city prior to Chicago. Much of the success can be contributed to the fine actors. The featured players will be Eva Le Gallienne, Farley Granger, Denholm Elliott, and Anne Meacham.

Repertory is not intended to supplant stock; certainly it is not meant to supplant the long-run commercial productions. What it is intended to do is give the theater the continuity, the depth of history, and the standards of invention and performance that every other public art derives from its institutions.

The United States is the only major country in the world without a National Theater. There has been a lot of talk about this cultural gap, and this group is organized for the express purpose of doing something to correct it.

Circle K Provides Campus Trash Cans

The Circle K Club, a school and community service organization, has provided three trash cans painted with the club's emblem in strategic spots around the Campus of TJC.

By adding the cans to the school grounds, the club hopes they will help keep the college a little cleaner and save a lot of work for the maintenance men.

Chairman of this project was Eddie Adams. Circle K members who assisted Eddie in painting the cans were Arnold and Ed Grabowski and Bob Neander.

Summa's Bakery in Harvey donated the cans. They are located outside Annexes B and C and on the corner of 160th and Broadway.

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Bulldogs Hope To End Joliet Jinx

Defeat Valpo For 15th Win

The Bulldogs of Thornton Junior College recorded their 15th win of the season Tuesday night defeating the freshmen of Valparaiso University, 74-66, in a non-league game at Harvey. Victory gives Thornton an overall 16-2 record for the season.

It was the poorest performance of the season for the Bulldogs despite their winning ways. Thornton held a slim four-point, 35-31, intermission lead after shooting a cold 34 per cent from the floor.

Thornton led by as many as 14 points during the second half as eight players finished in the scoring column. Ollie Carter led the scoring with 17 points while Reuben Poindeexter added 16. Other players finishing in the double figures included Paul Bentley with 12 and Vern Ryan and Jim Harris with ten.

Suffer Second Loss

The longest winning streak the junior college cagers have been able to build this season has been six games. The Bulldogs won their first six games of the season before bowing to Amundsen. The next six contests were Thornton victories before Canton ended the streak for the team's second loss.

The Bulldogs scored three "century" victories in four games with the other decision being the loss to Canton.

Tie Two Records

Two alltime records were tied in a 120-56 victory over Morton Junior College Friday, January 31. The Bulldogs tied the single game scoring total of 120 points and field goal total of 53 in the lopsided win. Both marks were established last season against Elgin Community College.

Seven players finished the game scoring in the double figures by center Paul Bentley who tallied 22 points.

Downstate power Canton handed the Bulldogs their second defeat of the season, 73-70, on the winners' court Saturday night, February 1. Sidelined for the contest was sophomore Vern Ryan who was still being bothered by a knee injury suffered during the Christmas holidays.

Thornton suffered one of its coldest nights from the field hitting a low .307 percentage. Canton, meanwhile, hit 29 of 78 shots for a .398 clip. The winners held a three point, 37-34, halftime lead and kept the margin until the final gun.

Hit Century Mark

The Bulldogs got back on the winning track defeating Lyons Junior College, 194-66, Tuesday, February 4. Four Thornton players finished in the double figures of scoring led by freshman Dale Retticker who tallied 23 points in a reserve role.

Bentley finished the night with 19 points while Reuben Poindeexter added 17 and Jim Harris tallied 14.

The big victory of the week came over Chicago powerhouse Wilson, 101-87, on the losers' court Thursday, February 6. The win enabled Thornton to keep on top of the league with an 8-1 record.

Hit Torrid Pace

Thornton hit a torrid .518 field goal percentage in the victory over Wilson, hitting 43 of 83 points. Five men went into double figures with sophomore Reuben Poindeexter tallying 26.



Reuben Poindeexter (23) scores two points on a tip against Wilson as the Bulldogs routed the Raiders of Chicago, 101-87. Other Thornton players in the picture are Paul Bentley (left) and Ollie Carter (15).

'Rejuvenated' Paul Bentley Adds Spark To Bulldog Fire

By Mike Jerding

Many persons will testify that Paul Bentley is not only a mature person but a mature basketball player. Among these are his coach and teammates at TJC; testimonials alone will not do here. We must look at the Bentley who was. We must look at the Bentley who maneuvered his way through high school and first year of TJC with a less than mature attitude in sports. Contrasting the two, we may better appreciate the Bentley of the present.

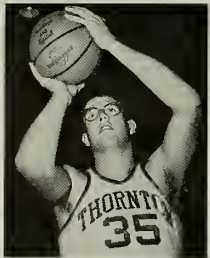
Although he participated in basketball in all of his four years in high school, there was always the question of why he didn't develop into a star. The necessary size, 6-5" and 205 pounds, and the ability, but his temperament and attitude were always handicaps.

In his senior year in high school, the TJHS basketball squad achieved "Sweet-Sixteen" status in the state of Illinois. During that Illinois tournament, Paul and his coach decided Paul had had enough. That was the end and climax of Paul's somewhat insignificant basketball career in high school.

Paul came to TJC; his situation started to improve. Learning he could never accomplish much with such an outlook on life, Paul used the understanding of his new coach, Mr. Don Williams, and the new, more mature atmosphere of college basketball to reach a bright, new peak in his basketball life.

Typical of this new Paul Bentley is a statement like this one, "I learned racial tolerance, sportsmanship, and respect for my coach and fellow players playing at TJC. I feel I've really come a long way since high school."

Not only has Paul improved his personal outlook, but his athletic ability and physical condition have improved too. He is leading the Bulldogs this year in shooting percentages from the floor, a direct



result of summer practice sessions. Bentley has also become a more rugged rebounder. This is due to his working with ankle weights and weight loss. "Big B" used to weigh 230. At 205 now, he can jump higher.

As do most of the basketball squad, Bentley believes the Bulldogs are really going to go far in the tournament this year.

"We're a cinch," he asserts. "I think we can go all the way because this team plays together."

No matter what the Bulldogs do in the way of winning awards this season, one thing has happened: Paul Bentley has come of age.

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Will Host Fizz And His Boys Tonight In Quest Of 9th Win

The league leading Bulldogs of Thornton Junior College will stake their slim hold of first place tonight hosting Joliet Junior College at 7:30 p.m. Don Williams' cagers currently lead the Northern Illinois Junior College basketball race by a slim half game.

Three quintets, Thornton, Amundsen and Wright, have all lost one game in league competition, but Thornton holds an edge in the victory column having won eight to the other team's seven.

Tonight's contest will have personal meanings for both Williams and the entire Thornton team. Last year Joliet handed Thornton one of the team's three defeats—one in the league action and the other in tournament competition.

For Williams it will be a chance to beat his one time coach A. A. "Fizz" Wills. Williams played under Wills while a student at Joliet Junior College in the early 1950's.

A Thornton victory tomorrow night would be the first against a Joliet JC quintet in over ten years.

The Joliet team currently owns a 7-2 league mark so a victory over Thornton would put the Steel city

Tourney Action Starts Feb. 27

Junior college tournament action will begin Thursday, February 27, for the IJC Bulldogs. The Bulldogs will participate in the Region IV qualifying tournament at Joliet Junior College.

Four teams will participate in the tournament with Thornton meeting Wilton of Chicago in the first game on Thursday night. Joliet will test Morton of Berwyn in the nighttime.

The two winners from Thursday will play Friday night in the championship game. The Joliet champ along with winners from these other qualifying tournaments will reach the state will qualify for the finals of Region IV at the Illinois State Normal University, March 6-7.

National competition in Hutchinson, Kansas the week of March 16-20 will beckon the winner from Normal.

Last year Thornton was eliminated in the semi-final game of the Region IV tournament. After defeating Centralia in the first game, the Bulldogs fell to the Joliet "Jinx," 79-77.

Cage Standings

NORTHERN ILLINOIS JUNIOR COLLEGE CAGE STANDINGS

	W	L	Pct.
THORNTON	8	1	.889
Amundsen	7	1	.875
Wright	7	1	.875
Crane	7	2	.778
Croft	7	2	.778
Leif	6	4	.600
Wilson	5	4	.556
Blackhawk	3	6	.333
Lyons	1	9	.111
Morton	1	9	.111
Bloom	0	9	.000

INDIVIDUAL SCORING

	G	FG	FT	Pts	Reb
Coleman, Centralia	14	209	54	472	33
Dineen, Centralia	14	148	80	370	52
Jones, Wright	21	210	83	493	22
Guy, Lincoln	20	170	114	460	23
Lyons, Springfield	14	131	70	312	22
Kunz, Springfield	16	119	83	331	26
McKaven, McVean	13	78	101	200	28

TEAM OFFENSE

	W	L	Pts	Reb
Centralia	13	1	1820	108
Dineen, Centralia	14	0	1247	61
THORNTON	15	0	1052	81
Wright	10	5	1870	80
Amundsen	18	1	1313	87

TEAM DEFENSE

	W	L	Pts	Reb
Elgin	11	7	1270	63
Lyons	12	7	1232	82
Wright	10	5	1481	77
THORNTON	12	0	1286	71
Amundsen	2	13	1473	72

cagers back in the thick of the NIJC race.

Willie Boyce, freshman graduate of Joliet Township High School, will carry a 23.7 point per game average into the game.



Thornton's Bobby Johnson leaps high into the air attempting to block a shot by Wilson's Dave Riley. Thornton scored its 8th league win over the Raiders, 101-87.

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More Than 300 at PTA College Night

"A boy came into my office one day and said to me, 'Mr. Beier, my father has no money to send me to college. All my dad has is a lot of AT&T stocks.'"

This comment by Mr. Carl Beier, college counselor for Thornton High School received a roar of laughter from the more than 300 parents Tuesday night at the PTA College Night.

As the guest speaker, Mr. Beier pointed out to the parents that "the best thing we are going to be interested in is the student's academic preparedness. Disregard the first time around."

When the matter came down to finances, however, Mr. Beier listed several possible solutions: loan funds are available from the college, the Federal Reserve Loan is available, and special scholarships can be obtained, such as the Illinois Teacher Training Scholarship and church and organization scholarships.

Mr. Beier broke down the income assets of a hypothetical family with one college age child and a family income of \$7250 and determined that the family could live on \$1250 without extreme difficulty. The rest of the cost the student would have to put up himself through summer jobs and part-time work while in school.

An art display of works by junior college students was displayed in the third floor corridor and in the room. Miss Dorothea Thiel, head of the junior college and school art department.

What's Next?" Big Success

The largest crowd ever to attend a J.C. mixer were present last Saturday evening, February 22, at "What's Next?" the second semester

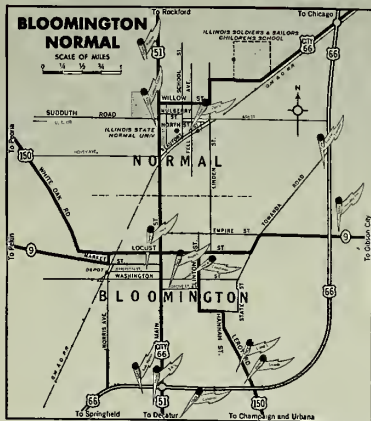
providing the evening's entertainment were Ken Bailey and his band, "The Liberty Trio," and Vern Ryan's quartet plus one Bill Carter, sophomore, Bill Gier, freshman, Don Coleman, freshman.

The names of the prize-winners were drawn for a box. Some prizes included: seven copy books to Vern Ryan, sophomore; a left over from the 'Hootenanny' to Kathy Ha-sophomore; football field dirt to Mr. Chapman's old copies of the Chicago Tribune to Joe Howard, freshman. In loving appreciation, following prizes were presented to students and instructors: a 3-4-5, all expenses paid trip to the gym to Mr. Pete Schloss; a cup of dehydrated aquarium water to Mr. E. Wensel; a cup of Union coffee to Dean Childs; and a card entitled "I'm in the Mood for Registering," as sung by Byron to Dean Dulgar.

to School March 9-10

There will be no classes at Thornton Junior College on Monday and Tuesday, March 9 and 10. Instructors at TJC as well as teachers from public schools in Thornton Township will attend a Teacher's Institute on the two days.

Classes will resume Wednesday, March 11.



The champion from the Region IV qualifying tournament at Joliet Junior College will advance to the state final next weekend at the Illinois State University in Normal. Four qualifying tournaments are being held throughout the state this week in preparation for the finals next Friday and Saturday, March 6-7. The Normal winner will advance to the National JuCo finals in Hutchinson, Kansas from March 16-20.

STUDENT SENATE MEMBERS

Name Prom Committee Heads; Approve Constitution Change

Chairmen for the junior college prom to be held Saturday, June 6, at the Edgewater Beach Hotel were appointed Monday afternoon at the Student Senate meeting.

Tom Girard and Karen Callanan, both sophomores, were named general chairmen of the formal event. Karen is president of the Student Senate and Tom is vice-president of the sophomore class.

Other chairmen appointed include Marilyn Lau, publicity; Charlene Trotta, bids; Mary Ann Johnson, chaperones; Gail Dunker, flowers; Laurie Johnson and Joyce Ustian, tickets; Nancy Garrison, invitations; Cherie Sauerbier, room arrangements and Mary Ellen Haney, orchestra.

Mary Ann Johnson and Cherie Sauerbier were appointed co-chairmen to make arrangements for the student delegation to the Illinois Association of Junior Colleges Workshop to be held Saturday, March 7, at Illinois State University in Normal.

The senate approved a constitution revision to bring the requirements to hold an office up-to-date.

Easter Parade Will Be Theme of Faculty Tea

Women faculty members and students have been invited to the annual Coed Club Tea on Thursday, March 5, in the Coed Room. Kappa Sorority will serve as hostesses for the event. The tea will begin at 4 p.m.

"Easter Parade" will be the theme of the tea according to Iola Rothenhofer, sorority leader of Kappa.

Sandwiches, tea and punch will be served and appropriate dress for the occasion will be Sunday best and high heels.

The constitution currently requires a 1.0 average which was a C until the junior college changed its system. The required average will read 2.0, which is still a C grade.

Freshmen Joyce Ustian and Dave Kolton were appointed co-chairmen to prepare the 1964-65 school calendar of events for TJC activities.

Plan Mechanical Technology Program With Bloom in Fall

A new cooperative mechanical technology program between Bloom and Thornton has been tentatively set to begin next fall.

At a meeting at Bloom Community College on Wednesday, February 19, Mr. Lee Dulgar, dean of TJC, and Mr. Harmon Roberts, director of Thornton's technical and industrial education, met with Bloom representatives. They discussed some of the plans for the new curriculum.

Under the proposed program, Thornton will teach the design option, and Bloom will conduct classes in the production option. It will operate very much like the present electronics technology arrangement.

A student enrolled in one of the schools will be able to specialize in either of the two options. He will take the course he desires at the school that offers it.

If a student at Thornton should want to study the production option, he would go to Bloom for only those courses. Likewise, students at Bloom who want to specialize

in the design option would come to Thornton.

A graduate of the design option should be able to work as a draftsman, engineering assistant, or developmental laboratory technician. The production option will enable a graduate to work in areas such as method analysis, production planning, and quality control.

Thornton has been developing its design option curriculum for the past three years. Next fall will mark Bloom's first offering of the production option.

The mechanical technology program will be terminal, many of the credits not being transferable.

There will be no additional charges for students participating in the exchange.

New Changes in Parking Rules

An old problem for Thornton Junior College students has grown to the point of immediate action by the administration.

With the many remodeling projects taking place at Thornton, the normal parking procedure has been disrupted.

Mr. Byron Kee, dean of men, has asked all students who drive to school to park only in designated junior college parking areas. These areas include the lot on 150th and Broadway and a part of the high school lot south of the faculty lot.

Faculty members are asked to park only in the regular faculty lot or the lot at the corner of 151st and Broadway.

If no space is available, please attempt to park on one of the side streets in the area.

When possible, attempt to form a car pool to aid in reducing the number of cars on campus.

Sell Windbreakers

Windbreakers are currently being sold by the Co-ed Club and the Men's Club of TJC across from the library.

The windbreakers, which are selling for \$5.75 each, are available in black or white and with, or without, the TJC insignia.

Students ordering the windbreakers must pay when ordering.

Sales will continue until March 6.



Ken Bailey and his Beatles... Roadrunners impersonated the popular English pop combo at the second semester Mixer last Saturday night in the Girls' Gym. Everyone joined in the "Limbo" at the end of the dance (photo at right). The Mixer was proclaimed one of the most successful social events at TJC this year.



Well, bless my sassafras tea bag! They finally done it! The good city daddies and mommy of Harvey done past a morality law. Ain't it wonderful that them what knows what sin is has rit it all down so as to let us no what we bin a doin wrong?

I am kinda put out about one thing tho. I can't never shoot my cap guns again, at least not in publik. one thing i shure wuz glad to see tho was that now folks can't wear masks no more which is good. the reezon its good is cause one day last sumer i taken my girl friend to the beech and we waz a lay-in in the sun and i 'lookt over and she waz bleedin all around the mouthw and i blambed never choked her to death tryin to stop the bleedin afore i noticed that it waz jus her lipstick what had melted and run. now sence thay past the law nothin like that can happen agin cause she caint wear no mask. course

time to put dem cap guns away

... another thing too, they aint going to be no mor dirty books for sale unless their art, the only thing i waz wonderin waz who was going to say what waz good and bad. fer example a couple of years ago i tried readin a boob called *kacher in the rice* or some such and along near the end the guy what wrote it commenced to get plain old rotten dirty. if they was ever a book that ought to be banned in Boston and ever where else it was *kacher in the rice*, and they's a lot of books that waz rit by a guy named Sternbeak or sumfin or other what gets real nasty and he took offen the market fer shur. at least i know i would take em off iffen i had the chanst.

well i jest thou id let you no what waz goin on in the world to help you so you won't sin no more. don't tell no body but i'm goin to go on and shoot my cap guns if i want to maybe no body'll say nothin.

A young man lived with his parents in a public housing development. He attended public school, rode the free school bus, and participated in the free lunch program. He entered the Army, and then upon discharge retained his national service insurance. He then enrolled in the State University, working part time in the state capitol to supplement his GI education check.

Upon graduation, he married a public health nurse and bought a farm with an FHA loan, and then obtained an RFC loan to go into business. A baby was born in the county hospital; he bought a ranch with the aid of the veterans' land program and obtained feed from the Government storehouses.

Later he put part of his farm in the soil bank, and the payments soon paid out his farm and ranch. His father and mother lived very comfortably on the ranch on the social security and old-age assistance checks. REA lines supplied electricity. The Government helped clear his land for him.

The county agent showed him how to terrace it; then the Government built a fishpond and stocked it with many fish. The Government guaranteed him a sale for his farm products at highest prices.

chickens come home to roost

schools, ate free lunches, played in the public parks, swam in public pools, and joined the FFA. He owned an automobile, so he favored the Federal highway improvement program.

He signed a petition seeking Federal assistance in developing an industrial project to help the economy of his area. He was a leader in obtaining the new post office and Federal building, and went to Washington with a group to ask the Government to build a great dam costing millions to give the area "cheaper electricity."

He petitioned the Government to give the local air base to the county. He was also a leader in the movement to get his specific type of farming special tax-write-offs and exemptions. Of course, he belonged to several farmers' organizations, but he denied they were pressure groups.

Then one day, after hearing that the per capita income tax bill in 1961 averaged out to \$251.49 for every man, woman, and child, he wrote his congressman:

"I wish to protest these excessive governmental expenditures and high taxes. I believe in rugged individualism. I think people should stand on their own two feet without expecting handouts. I am opposed to all socialistic trends and I demand a return to the principles of our Constitution and of State Rights."

The chickens had come home to roost.

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Maybe you aren't sure if you care, you might want to find out. *The Beats* is an introduction to the psychological, social, sexual, and literary attitudes of some contemporary writers who are loosely known as "beatniks" and sisters by the common sobriquet "beat."

The blurb on the back cover informs — warns — the reader "... here is a ruthlessly honest collection ..." of Beat writing. It is.

Krim To Honest

Seymour Krim, who edited this book to get rid of some material that was too "ruthlessly honest" the reader know in postscript to his introduction that the core of Beat muthny, for all literary purposes, has lately been shot to smithereens. Seymour supplements each selection with a frank, sometimes scolding, biographical and critical sketch of the author.

This collection includes short stories, poems, criticism of the Beat impulse and those who heed it, and some excerpts from Norman Mailer's play "The Deer Park." Mailer, author of "The Naked and the Dead," has a philosophy called Hip which he sees as the beginning of a new religion equivalent to Christianity of Judaism.

Seek Political Angle

If you prefer to look at the beatniks from the clearest point of disinterested research, there are essays dissecting the beat motive and movement: "The Philosophy of the Beat Generation" by John Clellon Holmes, "The Know-Nothing Bohemians" by Norman Podhoretz; Herbert Gold's "The Beat Mistique"; I liked, David McReynolds "Hipsters Unleashed."

McReynolds attempts to explain from a political angle why our most talented and creative young people have "disaffiliated" from society.

The society they reject, he points out, is living with the Bomb, an implement that could cancel all wondering about the future by getting rid of it. Not only men will die in an atomic war, as in a conflict fought with conventional weapons, but their children, their art, their money, and the race of man. Therefore, the hipster retreats from society to struggle with the questions: What is life? How is it best lived?

Technological Revolution

Secondly, America is caught in a technological revolution in which advances are made before we are able to control them: Dad's vacation is eliminated so that Junior couldn't take it up if he wanted to. The institution of family is weakening; new-gained economic freedom for women has confused males and females about their relationship; and our life has lost the spirit of community, reducing us to David Riesman's "Lonely Crowd."

Values have been destroyed in this upheaval which youth craves for a full and meaningful existence. Our basic moral standards of the goodness and rationality of man were shot to bits in World War II by the atrocities of Nazi concentration camps and gas chambers.

Today, nations speak with carefully-worded forked-tongue. The United States, self-proclaimed guardian of freedom, supplies dictator Chiang Kai-shek, and, in general, helps put down revolutions which its allies are in control of.

Search for Reality

So the Beat generation searches for reality, for experience, in experimentation with words, drugs, sex, music, religion, and art. Sick with a world that is rational but insane, the beat glories the intuitive and irrational elements of man's nature.

McReynolds concludes that in politics, as in every facet of modern life, young people are finding that the human race may die before the end goals are reached, must find integrity in each act. Other selections picture various

TJC Students Participate in Grade School Tutoring Program

By Karen Bovard

A tutoring project has been started at Thornton Junior College. Why? There are many reasons for such a program. The need by elementary school students in the area gives opportunity for the junior college student to serve the community and practical experience in a person-to-person learning situation. Probably the most important reason is that the program will make education a more meaningful experience for the participants, both reader and tutor. Its purpose is to instruct grade school children in basic reading skills through a supplemental educational program.

At present there are eight students participating in the program, coordinated through the Harvey Memorial YMCA as a service to the community and the Junior College. They are: Alice Stutz, Sandra Putany, Sandra Painter, Pat Pustan, Karen Bovard, Freshman; and Neil Wainwright and Doug Smith, sophomores.

Participants underwent a two week training program, planned and conducted by Mrs. Joan Ross and Mrs. Ada Diedrich, Thornton High School reading specialists. Meetings were held every day to familiarize students with specific areas of trouble, signs of trouble, how to develop case histories, various testing materials available, which test to use for definite problems, and the purposes and methods of reading education in the elementary grades one to four.

Elementary school students were screened and selected on the basis of need and potential. Then they were assigned to tutors. Armed with determination, desire to help, and smiles, the tutors met their students. Some were quiet and shy, others talkative, but all were eager to learn. But all of them needed help.

It is not easy to instill confidence in a child who has done nothing but fail for four years or who has finally found that he can no longer guess the right answers. "I know how to reason," he says, "and it is not simple to gain the trust of a child if it must be done in three 40 minute sessions a week. This is what the tutors must do."

Find Outcome Rewarding

The outcome has been satisfactory. Nancy Pavlak, sophomore, tutoring at Coolidge School in Phoenix, says, "As a future teacher, the tutoring program is important to me since it is my first experience in a teacher-pupil situation. This has been an opportunity for me to learn to work on my own by devising some of my own material and methods of presentation. I have gained insight into the educational processes and some of the problems encountered on a group or individual basis. The greatest benefit is the personal satisfaction of aspects of Beat life. What it feels like to take peace, stimulant drugs, is described. The formation of jazz, a mainstay of beatdom, is related in "Horn Fight at the Mission Corral"; and Lawrence Ferlinghetti's sympathetic lyric in hip language of love, life, death, and message of Christ.

Jack Kerouac, who needs no introduction at a beat gathering, being the high priest of hipsterism, displays his unique views on sex, and narrates his wanderings around America in three places from "Visions of Cody."

Ends Up in Hospital

"The Insanity Bit" is a frightening, but not a biographical effort by a man who experiences conception of sanity held in a society which slams him into a mental hospital an dfinds it insane, ignorant, and creative, deadening.

If you have learned to observe, or leave the road of complacency, or if you enjoy reading acute observation of the contemporary scene, get a copy of *The Beats*.

complishment in developing port and gaining positive results.

According to Mr. Byron dean of men, the program has been very accepted. Mr. Williams, superintendent of H School District 147, and George Kingsland, superintendent of the South Holland elementary schools, are both strongly in of the program and hope it will continue. Mr. Kee said, "There is an opportunity to instill in an attitude of learning that affects his whole life."

Response Poor

Response of the junior college students so far has been in portion with the facilities available for training.

"Next year," Mr. Kee said, "we would like to expand the program. Experiments are required, the project is based on year's experimental group, help make next year's program better."

The idea for this program "planted" a year ago when Metropolitan YMCA of Chicago advised it could help its colleges in the area. There YMCA chapters at many colleges and universities across the nation, few activities including junior college students. Working with men's committee of the YMCA and Mr. James Aull, coordinator of the project, a tutoring program was planned. The purpose of the program is to help junior college students large and amplify educational experience and provides a service for the community.

Mr. Aull, a graduate of Princeton University, has explained, "The program itself is not new, but the program like the one at J.C. This is the first local example of its kind at our own YMC Harvey. It is also one of the programs originating at the junior college level."

He also pointed out that Sears YMCA of the Lawndale has approximately 200 Northern University students engaged in a tutoring program. But the Y centered programs there are many other universities and colleges in the area that offer tutoring services.

Many people have contributed to the furthering of this school officials, local members the "Y," and students have participated. The continued assistance of the Thornton specialists has helped the progress steadily in a program worthwhile assistance to the dents they aid.

Program A Success

Actually, a step to this point, experience has been gained. Its purpose is being accomplished. It is a necessary project designed to fit a need in our elementary schools. And it has effected the participation. But all volunteer projects, it is in adequate. It meets only a small percentage of the help needed in area of reading.

It is difficult to say why not have more tutors. Perhaps it is because, to junior college students, the program is to help the attitude of a child who needs help and is not important. Or perhaps it is because simple says time after dinner games, mixers and studying. It is because that everyone is so contently settled into their comfortable little niche that participating in a community activity would just be a little much trouble?

Whatever the reason, more tutors are needed. More people needed who are excited about ideas, helping someone else learn, and people who will trade a half hour for the gratitude of a child, people are needed who think important to give of themselves in order to grow, people needed who will contribute to growth of their college and community.

DISTRIBUTE MORE THAN 1400 FILMS A YEAR

A-V Supplies Educational Equipment

By Tom Girard

Most of us at TJC are familiar with the films, projectors, charts, and posters often used in our classes. Have you ever wondered where they came from?

Located on the second floor, directly across from the physics department laboratory, in room 232, is the Audio-Visual Center. Mr. Blake Reed, Audio-Visual Director, and his staff, supply Thornton's educational assistance equipment.

As the term implies, audio-visual materials with materials that can be seen or heard in the classroom. The center provides a centralization point for these devices and for their effective distribution. It also serves as a training area for those instructors who are not familiar with all techniques and methods of audio-visual instruction.

Mr. Reed directs A-V of the Audio-Visual Center has been under the direction of Mr. Reed for the past seven years. Mr. Reed, who holds a Master's degree in audio-visual education, has taught the center a long way in that time. When he first came to Thornton, there was no permanent A-V director, and the Audio-Visual center was behind the stage of the main purpose of A-V is to improve instruction and have better classroom communication. Its advantages include greater understanding, better motivation, and better retention for students.

Most of the activity in the A-V center involves films and projectors. There are about 25 projectors available for classroom use. 1400 Films a Year "Film distribution accounts for 90 per cent of our operation,"



Mr. Blake Reed, A.V. director, prepares to shoot a picture of a feltboard which was "locally" prepared in the Audio-Visual Center. A 35mm slide of the feltboard will be used as an introductory title for classroom instruction.

Mr. Reed. "The junior college and high school together use 1400 films a year." Although the Audio-Visual Department is usually thought of as only distributing films and projectors, its entire operation is more complex. It supplies tape recorders, opaque projectors, overhead projectors, filmstrips, slides and recorders, filmstrips, slides and recorders. Each of them has a distinct advantage in a particular classroom situation, according to Mr. Reed.

Graphics Work in A-V The materials used with these machines are mostly produced "locally" in the graphics room of the A-V Center. Here, the Audio-Visual art work takes place.

Under the guidance of Mrs. Carolyn Westbrook, posters, charts, feltboards, display materials, and lettering are prepared in accordance with an instructor's wishes. In this way, the instructor is able to

provide the most efficient instructional aids for his specific class.

Through broad availability of resources, the Audio-Visual Center provides diversification in its program.

"I feel each media has its unique advantages and limitations. Therefore, an instructor needs to select the materials according to his classroom usages for optimum instructional effectiveness," added Mr. Reed. "Extensive research has amply verified the effectuality of A-V materials when properly utilized."

More Expansion Thornton's new construction will prove beneficial to the Audio-Visual Department. When completed, the new facilities for A-V will include private recording studios and a darkroom. These are only two of the added features that will be available when A-V moves into its new quarters.

Co-ed Fencers Attend Meet

Thornton Junior College female fencing students attended a triangular fencing meet with the University of Chicago, University of Wisconsin, and Indiana State University held at the University of Chicago Saturday, February 22.

According to Miss Martha Wetzel, who is currently the state of Illinois fencing chairman for the Division of Girls' and Women's Sports and instructor for several junior college fencing classes, "The University of Chicago has consistently produced excellent fencing teams and so the meet was instructional as well as educational. Students had a chance to see all three types of fencing: foil, epee, and sabre, performed by the participating teams."

Differences

Miss Wetzel also pointed out the difference in the three types of fence. The size and location of the target area on the body. In foil fencing the attack is confined to the area between the hips and the shoulders, not including the arms. The epee fencing target area includes the entire body, and sabre fencing is confined to the body area above the hips.

The foils used in the three types are basically similar. The foil used in foil and epee fencing have rectangular blades. The only difference between them is that the hand guard on the epee foil is a little larger. The sabre foil has a triangular blade with a guard that protects part of the forearm as well as the hand.

Of the three schools of fencing, French, Italian and Spanish, junior college women at Thornton are taught the French method. This method is easier to master in the short length of time one semester allows for instruction.

Technique and Style Students studying fencing in special European schools are taught technique and style for two years before they are allowed to engage in bouts. Miss Wetzel explained, "Fencing must be taught very formally with strict adherence to regulations and, when possible, slowly. Since there is always the risk of injury from the foil, great care must be exercised."

As Illinois chairman of fencing for the D.G.W.S., Miss Wetzel is coordinator of workshops, demonstrations, and clinics to stimulate more interest in fencing.



Stopping to admire the art display in the third floor corridor is Sherry Seidel, Courier Co-ed for February 28. Sherry, a freshman from Blue Island, attended the University of Illinois last semester. Of TJC she said, "It's friendlier than the U of I." Sherry is in the Liberal Arts curriculum and plans to teach after graduation. When asked what she thinks of the Beatles, she remarked, "I like to listen to them, but I don't care to watch them."

Dr. Logsdon Addresses Articulation Conference At University of Illinois

Dr. James Logsdon, superintendent of school district 205, addressed an Articulation Conference at the University of Illinois yesterday in Springfield.

Dr. Logsdon's speech, "The Junior College in Illinois—Present and Future," dealt with the problems faced in maintaining an effective junior college and providing education beyond high school for those who are capable.

Dr. Logsdon placed great emphasis on the role of the state in meeting the increasing needs and demands of colleges.

Administration and faculty representatives from all over Illinois attended the conference. One of the purposes was to discuss ways of improving the transfer of students to their third and fourth year at the university.

The University of Illinois and its Physical Education Department were hosts for the Articulation Conference.

Faculty Representatives Meet With Thornton Seniors Coming to TJC

Administration and faculty members of TJC met with seniors of Thornton High School who plan to attend the junior college on Tuesday, February 25. Mr. Lee Dugan, dean of the college; Miss Adelaide Childs, dean of women; Mr. Byron Kee, dean of men; and Mr. Paul Godwin, chairman of the scholarship committee, greeted students in the cafeteria's Garden Room. The meeting's purpose was to acquaint the future graduates with distribution procedures, probation policies, and scholarship opportunities at Thornton Junior College. On February 11 a similar conference was held for seniors of Evergreen High School.

Opponents All Agree: Carter's Hustle-Desire Big Asset to TJC

By Mike Jerding

Oliver Carter is a slim, jovial sophomore who stands at an even six feet tall and prefers to be called Oliver, not "Ollie."

Being called "Ollie" is just one pet peeve he harbors; he also dislikes to be congratulated on playing a good floor game when Thornton JC loses a basketball game.

"People come up to me and say, 'Good game,'" the flashy guard asserted. "Well, if we lose, the team didn't play a good game and neither did I."

This is just about the philosophy that all of TJC's cagers have adopted this year, and Carter can be singled out as greatly responsible for the success the team is achieving with it.

Joliet Junior College basketball coach, A. A. Willis, gives Carter most of the credit for the Bulldogs' success in a recent newspaper article. Said Willis, "This Oliver Carter is the one who has been making the most difference for them (TJC) lately. He is a hard-driving guard with speed to burn."

Down through the years, Thornton coach, Don Williams, hasn't always agreed with Willis, but this is one instance in which both men are thinking along the same lines, but Williams thinks Carter has improved mostly on defense.

"Oliver's greatest improvement has been his defensive play," claimed the coach. "He has always had the defensive tools, but recently he has been using his speed to beat his man instead of fouling him." Oliver believes in playing lots and lots of basketball, and he knows that this is how he improved this year.



"The more you play, the better you get," he states. "If I hadn't improved, I wouldn't be starting this year."

In between basketball games, Carter finds time to work in his business administration curriculum. He hopes to enter Colorado State College next year.

In the midst of a tournament this week, the Bulldogs' goals are definite according to Carter.

"We want to bring the national championship here to Thornton for the school, our coach, and ourselves, and if we want it badly enough, we'll get it."

Courier's Beetle



Waiting for someone to "hold his hand" Casey "Ringo" Skorpinski, the newest star, or is it Beetle? Casey says of the beetle, "They're a new, refreshing sound in the field of popular music. In short, I've great!"

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Bulldogs Defeat Wilson; Finals Tonight

Win Share Of JCCC Cage Title

Despite a defeat in the final game of Northern Illinois JuCo conference action, the Bulldogs of Thornton Junior College captured a share of the league championship, the first time a TJC quintet has finished on top in 33 years!

Thornton suffered its third defeat of the season and second in league competition to Crane, 81-78, on Thursday, February 20, to drop from the lead for the first time in over a month.

The Bulldogs trailed Wright Junior College who still had one game left to play. Twenty-four hours later Joliet, a 14-92 loser to the Bulldogs, upset the Wright cagers, 82-78, to knot first place in a three-way tie between Thornton, Crane and Wright.

Although Thornton has never won an outright conference title, it was the second straight year the Bulldogs finished with a 9-2 league record.

Last time in '31 Thornton lost the league championship in 1931 and during that year finished in a tie with Joliet.

A first half scoring drought and the inability to hit free throws led to the defeat by Crane. Trailing by as much as 11 points in the contest, the Bulldogs tied the game in the late minutes of play, but lost the decision in the final nine seconds.

The Bulldogs led, 21-16, before Crane rallied to a 40-30 advantage in the early minutes of the second half. Oliver Carter hit a short jump shot with 7:53 to play in the game to tie the score, 68-68. The score was tied three times and changed hands six times in the final minutes of play.

The score at 78-78. Trailing, 78-76, with :25 left to play, Reuben Poindexter clefted for a basket to even the count at, 78-78. Crane's Will Dillard hit a soft jump shot at :09 and was fouled. Dillard made good on the free throw to put Crane ahead by three points. Thornton brought the ball into play but couldn't shoot as time ran out.

Reuben Poindexter tallied 24 points in a losing cause while Vern Ryan tallied 15. Carter collected 13 and Jim Massick recorded 12.

Thornton hit four more baskets than Crane, but the winners cashed in on 23 of 37 free throw attempts. Thornton hit on only 12 of 28 tries while committing 25 personal fouls.

End Joliet Jinx
The Bulldogs ended a ten year jinx Friday, February 14, drubbing Joliet Junior College, 114-92. It was the first time a TJC quintet had defeated a Joliet ball club since the early 1950's.

The victory also extended Thornton's home winning streak to 22 games. The streak started with the first home game last season.

Ryan and Poindexter combined for 55 points as Ryan collected 23 for top honors.

Thornton hit a blistering .569 from the floor while the losers hit a lowly .389.



Oliver Carter (foreground) slams to the floor during Thornton's encounter with Crane JC, while Reuben Poindexter and an unidentified Crane player disagree over possession of the ball. Jim Harris (foreground left) stands by ready to assist Poindexter.



From The Press Box

By Mike Jerding

Charlie Halbert, Charlie Joliff, Dan Fox, Bob Johnson, and John Hopkins are all valuable members of Thornton Junior College's cage squad, yet none of them are on the starting five. Each one of them shares a common bond, they ride the bench.

Bench-riding is perhaps the most thankless job in sports. You provide the practice during the week for the first stringers, and at times, you may even show them a trick or two, but when game time comes, you only get in the game when your team is winning or losing by 20 or 30 points. Your coach really appreciates your devotion because you practice the same as the regulars during the week. Perhaps you practice even harder, but your name is rarely in the newspapers. The only tangible recognition you could possibly get is your name in the box score. That is, if you took a shot and missed in the minute you were in the game.

No one seems to realize that part of the reason your team is such a good team is the fact that they practice against you all week. Few realize you could be a regular on some other team, but you ride the bench because your team is better than most. Very few people realize that in your selfless situation, you're adding that much to the team's spirit.

Of the quintet I named at the outset, Charlie Joliff is the one who plays the most. Charlie stands 6'-5" and has had to compensate for his lack of size with superb ball handling and unshakable poise. Charlie Halbert is one who can do everything well — except shoot. Once he corrects his odd shot, he'll be a top-notch ballplayer. Bob Johnson, perhaps, typifies the Bulldogs' spirit with his tremendous desire. John Hopkins is another hustler who is a diamond in the rough. A little more poise and experience is all he needs. Lastly, we name Dan Fox. A baseball pitcher by trade, his name will be the object of many glowing conversations come baseball season. Dan will be the first one to admit he is

not a great basketball player, and when one considers the fact that he is a sophomore, his sticking to basketball doesn't make much sense. Why doesn't he just give up? It's simple: Fox just doesn't know how to quit. This, in effect, is the code of all these bench-riders.

The attitude taken by these five men is one that JC's cagers have and every team needs. There are bench-riders on every team, but few teams have such fine ones as Thornton has. It's a distinction in itself, and we know it!

At least one letter of protest has been received by this column. Since this is a byline column and since it is a policy of the COURIER, we do not print or recognize any letters which are unsigned or signed by a mysterious group. If the individuals involved do not have the courage of their convictions, the COURIER does not recognize their right to criticize.

Hold Baseball Tryouts

All men interested in trying out for the TJC baseball squad are invited to attend a pre-season meeting in the main gymnasium, room G-39, Sunday, March 1 at 2 p.m.

Attendance at this meeting is mandatory according to coach John Carlson. Last year the Bulldogs finished sixth in the National Junior College baseball tournament in Grand Junction, Colorado.

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By Mike Jerding and Tom Renner

Following a shaky start, the Bulldogs of Thornton Junior College thundered back to defeat the Raiders of Wilson, 105-89, last night in the first game of the Region IV qualifying tournament at Joliet.

The victory advances the Bulldogs to the championship game against Joliet Junior College tonight. The game will start at 8 p.m. Joliet defeated Morton last night, 81-57.

Three Thornton players finished the night scoring 20 points or better. Sophomore Paul Bentley led the Bulldogs with 28 points while Reuben Poindexter added 27 and Oliver Carter tallied 21.

Wilson led the Bulldogs by as much as six points, 21-15, midway through the first half but Thornton thundered back to take the lead 23-21. With the score, 27-26 in favor of Wilson, Thornton surged ahead scoring 12 consecutive points to take the lead, 39-27.

The score stood, 50-46, at half-time as Wilson rallied in the final minutes of the half.

Thornton jumped ahead by 13 points, 65-52, with only five minutes gone in the second half and were ahead by at least nine points until the final gun.

Thornton finished the night with 47 baskets in 94 attempts for an even .500 clip while the Raiders hit 36 of 80 tries for a .450 percentage.

The victory gives Thornton, co-champions of the JuCo league crown, a 17-3 record. This week in the National Junior College poll the Bulldogs were ranked 10th.

New Rules Set in Intramural League

Intramural basketball made its first appearance of the year Wednesday, Feb. 19, and already changes are in the making.

According to intramural chairman Dan Fox, "Changes we will be making are: (1) the league will definitely need referees and (2) we will have to keep track of the fouls so that the games don't get too rough."

Results of the Feb. 19 games saw the Shockers, the Polish Berserkers and the Scramblers come out on top in their games. Sears and Company forfeited to the Shockers while the Polish Panthers bested the Bombers, 56-36, and the Scramblers beat the Peewees, 48-30.

No games will be played next Wednesday because of a high school basketball tournament in the gymnasium.

Feb. 26, Sears and Company beat the Peewees 44-32, the Shockers beat the Scramblers 44-36, and the Panthers roller over the Weltreters, 84-26.

Tournament Trail Leads to Normal "IF" Bulldogs Win

The long trail to Hutchinson, Kansas and the National Junior College basketball finals began last night for the Bulldogs of Thornton Junior College. Results were unknown when this story was written, but a victory last night and tonight could advance the Bulldogs to the Region IV final at Illinois State University in Normal next week. (See last night's results elsewhere in today's Courier.)

Championship Tonight

A Thornton victory last night sends the Bulldogs into the final tonight at Joliet Junior College. The Bulldogs will face the winners of Joliet-Morton game at 8 p.m.

The winner from Joliet will advance with survivors from tournament at Amundsen, Canton and Clinton will advance to Illinois State University in Normal next Friday and Saturday, March 6-7.

Winner to Normal

Tournament action at Normal will begin Friday night in Hayden Fieldhouse on the campus of the university.

The winner from the Central tournament will meet the champion of Amundsen tournament at 8 p.m. At 8:30 p.m. the Joliet-Morton winner will square off with the Canton victor.

Win or lose all four teams will remain in Normal for games Saturday night, Friday's tournament will play at 7 p.m. with the championship following at 8:30 p.m.

The winner at Normal will advance to the National Junior College finals in Hutchinson, Kansas the week of March 16-21.

Cage Standings

NORTHERN ILLINOIS JUNIOR COLLEGE CAGE STANDINGS

	W	L
Thornton	17	3
Wright	9	3
Crane	9	3
Amundsen	8	3
Joliet	8	3
Wilson	6	5
Labelle	5	6
Eglin	5	6
Maline	3	8
Morton	1	10
Bloom	0	11

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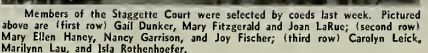
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Vacation Starts March 27
There will be no classes held at Thornton Junior College between Friday, March 27 and Monday, April 6. TJC will observe the Easter season by closing school on Good Friday. School will be also closed during the following week for Spring vacation. Classes will resume on Monday, April 6.

Justin Earnest, Dennis Erickson, Edward Fahrner, Joy Feaser, Susan Foster, Neal Franklin, Maureen Garry, William Geduzin, Donna Hallett, Ann Haser, Mary Johnson, Walter Knapp, Marilyn Lau, Jeanne Luksis, Gerald Miller, Donna Missal, Carol O'Brien, Timothy Osterlund, Nancy Pavlik, George Pawlowski, Dennis Sweeney, Glen VanHaren, Mary Zuber, Richard Youngberg.

Freshmen

Karen Boward, Robert Carlson, Randy Coppick, Ruby Cornwall, Patricia Curran, Kathleen Dee, Donelle Diggle, Mary Falat, Cedric Forbes, Carol Frink, Carolyn Grotenhuis, Charles Halbert, Mary Ellen Haney, Frederick Heise, Irene Herron, Veronica Jones, Craig Kragness, Connie Listemann, Carol Marini, Daniel Marshall, Ronald Starnes, Des Messinger, Rodney Miller, Lauree Noetzel, Sandra Parker, David Price, Thomas Reber, John Starkey, Lynn Talgenhorst, Sandra Vanlaningham, Bernard Watson, and Steven Wentz.



In an earlier editorial we discussed the difficulties involved in the parking situation at TJC. Of late this situation has become even more acute, and perhaps another editorial concerning this subject would be timely.

Mr. Byron Kee, dean of men, in a recent memorandum, explained that the parking lot between the new gym and the engine room and a part of the lot at the south end of the main building would be closed because of the construction work which is under way in those areas. Several suggestions were made to help alleviate this difficult situation, including the idea that perhaps students could form car pools.

added parking headaches at TJC

It is also felt that a great deal could be done to improve the situation if those who drive to school would at least try to avoid taking up more than one parking space.

Although you might be in a hurry to get to a class, your hurried carelessness in parking might prevent someone else from being in class on time by forcing him to drive to another parking area. So take a little more time and leave that extra space for the next guy.

The basketball stars at Joliet brought forth from the the TJC student body a long overdue, but sadly shortlived burst of that brand of enthusiasm called school spirit. For the first time this year, it seemed that the student body was standing united in quest of a common goal. But we were defeated; in our defeat that newly born school spirit passed away as suddenly as a spring snow.

On the buses to the game people were singing and talking excitedly about many things, but particularly the conversation about the tournament. At the games we cheered as one, and the team seemed to realize that they were being supported as they had not been for the entire season. The first night we won. During the trip home and the return trip to Joliet the following night, we were again united. We were defeated in the second game; and, even in defeat, we were united.

After the team was welcomed home, however, something happened. The spirit subsided, and we all settled back into the old routine. Again we were complaining about why going to TJC can't be or isn't like going to a "real" college or university. We were again complaining about our association with the high school which, admittedly, in many ways may be detrimental to the college atmosphere. In short, we were once again trying to shift the responsibility for our defeat and our lack of school spirit to someone else's shoulders.

I feel that all of us at TJC realize, if we only stop to think for a moment, that this school has a great deal to offer any student who is willing to take the opportunities that are available to him. I think we also realize that if we expect to get any extra consideration from the people of this community, we are going to have to show more school spirit toward our community.

I feel that our facilities are not adequate. If the feel that the people of Harvey are not interested in our school, perhaps they have a reason. For example, does this school contribute anything to this community, or do we exist only as a leech. If we have no purpose, is there any reason that we should exist at all?

We all know, of course, that TJC does contribute a great deal to this community. TJC provides well trained men and women who take jobs with local industries, the tutoring program in which a number of TJC students participate, Chicago, K, a service group sponsored by the Kiwanis International by drawing its members from the junior college student body, and many other organizations contribute directly or indirectly to the well being of this community.

However, we do have some organizations which apparently exist for no reason other than to exist. I am sure that if these groups as well as the ones which do have a definite purpose in mind would act together in an effort to try to sell the junior college to this community the people could be made aware of the fact that we are deserving of some extra consideration. Perhaps, if this were done in a deep, genuine, and lasting school spirit. Who knows? In a few years your children might be attending TJC in that separate building which today seems to be only a dream.

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Campus Scene

By Tom Girard

Some time ago I attended *How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying* at the Shubert Theatre in Chicago. To put it mildly, I thought the musical was great. It is a must for any person who enjoys a stage play and should have a special appeal for those majoring in business. From beginning to end, it completely satirizes the world of business. Dick Kauffman, starring as a character named Finch, works his way from a window washer to the President of the Board of Directors. I really shouldn't use the word "twink" since Finch actually moved up the so-called ladder of success without hardly touching a piece of paper or a pencil. One of the most satirical scenes was one in which the office staff arrived at work. In less than five seconds, it was time for the proverbial coffee break. Discovering that there was not a drop of java in the place, the entire office erupted into one large body of discontent. The singing and dancing that followed proved to be quite hilarious. All in all, I would recommend the play to anyone who likes to laugh, laugh, laugh!

Since the cigarette report hit the nation, many individuals and institutions have made attempts to abandon cigarettes. The *Daily Illini* in Champaign is trying to get university officials to remove cigarette machines from campus buildings. The *Illini* has also reported the presence of such machines implies that smoking is harmless, or at least not dangerous.

Research by an associate professor of psychology at Elmira College in Elmira, New York, shows that the place a student sits in a classroom reveals several things. It may indicate the student's learning and may indicate something about his personality or attitudes toward the teacher and the course. Studies point out that there is a correlation between a student's choice of seats and his interest and achievement in the course. Questionnaires distributed to about 70 women on the campus revealed that those who gave a high rating to both course and instructor tended to sit in the center of the room. However, the answers did not show any relationship between seating and grades. That's a relief! Huh?

A REMINDER: If you are planning on going away to school next year, you had better start working on those applications. Time can slip by pretty quickly, and deadlines will be closing in on you.

Report Discloses \$600 A Year Saving to Jcers

Officials of Thornton Junior College were interested to note that the state board of higher education, meeting in the State of Illinois Building in Chicago last week, received a report recommending creation of junior colleges at the rate of about three per year.

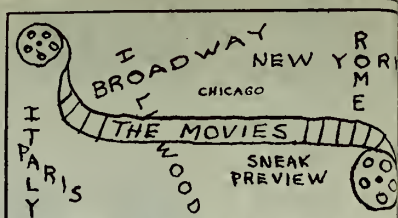
The report said such colleges could save each student and his family, about \$600 a year and would save the state a substantial amount of the per pupil cost of faculty, facilities and maintenance.

The committee report recommended that junior colleges be planned for not less than 3,000 students, and that they be located in areas where there is a high concentration of potential students.

The board of higher education was established by the 1961 legislature to devise a master plan for the growth and operation of colleges and universities in Illinois.

Governor Kerner last week designated the board to act as a commission to study the steps to qualify for the state's share of 1.2 billion dollars available for federal aid to education.

The governor acted after the legislature had approved such a commission. Illinois schools will receive a minimum of 11.3 million dollars or as much as 33.9 million dollars, but could lose its share to other states by default.



Some movie makers, having once attained a fair degree of eminence in their precarious profession, are content from then on to play it safe by re-working old themes. But writer-director Stanley Kubrick is of another breed. Kubrick revels in making films that are controversial and off-beat yet afford endless delight and entertainment to countless millions.

In *Dr. Strangelove*, how? I Learned to Stop Worrying and Love the Bomb, the "hot-line suspense comedy," now appearing here, writer-director Stanley Kubrick has achieved a film with unique relevance for our time. College students will find Kubrick's satirical approach to our contemporary world especially meaningful. Peter Sellers and George Scott are starred in the Columbia Picture release.

Affects Every Soul How Kubrick manages to make this portentous subject, which literally affects every living soul, a source of comedy can only be explained as the workings of sheer movie legendry. It must forever remain the secret of this virtuoso performer in the motion picture arts. But perhaps the genesis of *Dr. Strangelove* can provide some insight, however slight, into the workings of Kubrick's creative talents functioning on the Hollywood scene today.

It was while filming *Lolita* in England that Kubrick first got the idea for *Dr. Strangelove*. Peter George, on which *Dr. Strangelove* is based. His interest in the subject of nuclear strategy prompted a visit to London's Institute for Strategic Studies. The novel came to light during Kubrick's talk with Alastair Buchan, the Institute's director, who thought it a unique fictional treatment of how nuclear war might start. Kubrick, intrigued by the book's suspenseful plot, acquired the film rights.

During the course of his vast reading on the subject, Kubrick gradually came to realize that the thing that really fascinated him was the strategy associated with having a Bomb, not what happened after it went off.

The director felt, however, that a literal treatment of the story couldn't properly convey the "human" equation involved: the absurdities and incongruities inherent in the technology and the possibilities of error in a system that ultimately depends on human infallibility and which cannot afford a single slip-up. It would be better,

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Offer Air Force Commission Plan

A new program designed especially for junior college transfer students to "earn" a commission in the Air Force was announced recently by Lt. Colonel Russell P. Strange, commander of the Air Force Reserve training corps at the University of Illinois.

Beginning with the coming summer session, special classes will be offered during summer school for freshmen, sophomores and transfer students who wish to begin work on an Air Force commission. Special sections of classes will also be set up next September.

The new program represents a progressive step toward making the opportunity of an Air Force commission available to a larger number of young men," said Strange.

"Many students in the past have been denied this opportunity because they did not initially attend a university or college which included an officer training program."

the director reflected, to treat subject as ironic comedy.

It was this approach, though, that determined Kubrick, in film adaptation of the book, is fundamentally a straight-up person, to make the story of his film veer from outright pence into the path of come-

Book Fair

By Jonathan Field

Elizabeth Appleton
Random House, 1963
John O'Hara

John O'Hara is a prolific writer. During the past year he has published not only an excellent novel, *Elizabeth Appleton*, but also volumes of short stories. One of the short story volumes is a collection of old stories with several new ones added to give the volume a look; one volume in new ones and all new short stories by O'Hara.

Elizabeth Appleton is a story of a gentle woman in a most difficult world. O'Hara's newest novel, *Elizabeth Appleton*, is a story of a world that would never be unless they were a part of it. In the novels of Bernard Malamud, we find anything to come with the microscopic examination of O'Hara makes of the world of O'Hara.

Main Character Marries Elizabeth Appleton marries her husband, John Appleton, who is a small-town college. A brilliant student, John Appleton joins the faculty of the college where he has such a brilliant undergraduate record after he finishes his degree at Harvard. Adam, rapidly, he is shortly chairman of the history department. Then a sheer stroke of luck, he becomes Dean of Students and Assistant to the President of the University.

Groomed for the rest of his demerit career as the next president of the college, he is passed when the time comes for the rest of the college to vote.

Elizabeth, John Appleton's tells most of the story. As a ter of fact, her life story is through the telling of her husband's disappointments, frustrations, boredom, and cesses.

Elizabeth Appleton is filled "campus characters." These are not student characters but faculty characters. This type can be more interesting than the student with strange behavior patterns one can assume that the *Elizabeth Appleton*, tells the story of the college and the campus. It does tell a story that take place on any university campus... and, more the pity, us has.

Strong Women Weak Men O'Hara's characters are strong people, particularly his female characters. As a matter of fact, only his female characters have real strength on a continental scale. Even now, his characters occasionally make moments of stress, they are through like "Gangbusters" in final moments of any scene.

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Given the opportunity, O'Hara can concoct a story out of what seemingly appears nothing. He's done it again, he's done it well.

Inside the Indiana State Prison

Get First Hand Look at Maximum Security Prison Students Impressed by Crime Skit

By The Courier Staff

Five steel doors, a 42-foot wall, and more than 300 guards keep 3,500 men from the freedom of the outside world. The men are convicts; the place is the Indiana State Prison; the reason for incarceration is a crime committed against society.

Male students enrolled in journalism and political science courses at Thornton Junior College received a first hand look at the inner operations of a maximum security prison Thursday, March 12, when they toured the Indiana State Prison in Michigan City, Indiana.

The students were accompanied by Mr. John Stanfield, English instructor and adviser of *The Courier*, and Mr. Wayne Willard, psychology instructor.

Inside "the wall" are men who have violated the laws of society; crimes range from family abandonment to first degree murder. One of the men will spend the rest of his lives as wards of the state; others will find a chance for new beginning after fulfilling their obligation; many will "go straight," others will return.

The towering watch stations that eye the every movement of the prisoners can be seen for miles. The feeling that someone was keeping watchful eye on every movement was felt by the students as they approached the outer gate of the prison.

There were no smiles on the faces of guards who patrolled the outer walls or on the honor prisoners who busily tidied the lawns, bushes, and sidewalks leading to the prison.

Frisk All Students

No cameras were allowed in the prison area and every student was frisked by a guard before entering the prison area. Students walked

through a metal detector after removing all watches, rings, and metal objects.

The students were greeted by Mr. Lee Baron, director of public relations for the Indiana State Prison.

"My job isn't to encourage business for the prison, but to give a clear picture of the workings of the prison's operations," stated Mr. Baron.

Only one hundred feet separate the prisoners from the outside world, but that short distance has five chambers which prison officials maintain make the institution inescapable. The last successful escape from the prison was 35 years ago when two members of the Dillinger gang went out the front door after smuggling arms into the prison.

The entrance to the prison was no place for a person with claustrophobia. All the students on the tour had to fit into one chamber before the next could be opened.

City Within a City

The smell of freshly baked bread, the clicking of typewriters, and the booming of punch presses were all striking characteristics as the students entered the first courtyard of the prison. Within the prison that encompasses 24 acres is a "city-within-a-city" that supplies almost every need of prisoners, from their daily bread to all the uniforms worn by inmates.

According to Mr. Baron, "The last place taxpayers want to put their money is in a prison." A good example was the prison chapel, built in the early 1920's, which serves the Catholic, Jewish and Protestant faiths. On Friday and Saturday nights the sanctuary doubles as a movie house.

After passing the chapel, the students proceeded down the main street of the prison which could be



Junior college students who toured the Indiana State Prison last Thursday view a model of the 24-acre institution in the lobby of the prison. Journalism and political science students made the field trip.

compared to any business district of a small city. Men, actively, yet silently, worked at their jobs in the tailor shop, barber shop, laundry, and a number of small industrial plants.

At the Indiana State Prison, the mess hall is a beehive of activity three times a day. The mess hall seats 1,500 men at one time, and it takes two shifts to feed every inmate. Prisoners file in through three doors and are served cafeteria style. Signs around the mess hall stress economy through the words, "Take Only What You Can Eat!"

Seconds of bread, potatoes, and gravy are available to the inmates, but they can only receive single portions of meat and other more expensive foods. Tables are marked with the absence of knives and forks. Prisoners are supplied with a spoon, tin plate and metal cup. Each utensil must be returned before an inmate is allowed to leave the mess hall.

"Even though we keep a close watch, spoons do disappear," commented Mr. Baron, "they are often found by guards in the prisoner's cells during periodic shakedowns." Most of the times the prisoners are using them as spoons, not as weapons.

Earn Six Cents a Day

Cell House D, erected in 1909, contains 324 cells in five tiers. It is one of five cell houses in the prison. Prisoners spend approximately 15 hours out of every 24 in their six foot by nine foot cells. Each cell has a metal frame bed and spring, one mattress, a toilet, wash basin and one, maybe two, blankets.

From a prisoner's meager wages, which average six cents per day, he is able to purchase other commodities such as cigarettes, magazines, candy, and ice cream.

It is impossible for a prisoner to see into any other cell. Overcrowding has forced officials to put more than one man into a cell. This sometimes leads to problems, although each prisoner is closely screened before being placed with another inmate.

The prison is experimenting with a four man cell to encourage quicker rehabilitation.

One of the most impressive events of the tour was a Crime Skit presented by inmates. Approximately two years ago, a group of inmates with life sentences were organized and welded into a team; they are dedicated to aiding young men who are following or about to follow the footsteps of men already in the Indiana State Prison.

Initiated by Warden Lane, The Crime Skit is a part of a



A closeup of the replica of the prison shows the towering stations that keep a watchful eye over the grounds 24 hours a day. At left is the athletic field, in the foreground is the administration building and in the background are cell houses and industrial buildings.

program initiated by Warden Ward Lane, a far seeing modern penologist interested in the cause of crime, its prevention, and its relation to disruptive social influences prevalent among young people.

The students heard the prisoners talking to each other as the men usually do when there is no audience. They heard how it all started; one man started stealing pennies from his mother's purse and progressed to meager thefts from the local candy store; from there, it was a short step to the big time.

The underlying theme of the entire skit was, "If I had only stayed in school!" The students heard stories of families and friends forgetting the convict after a few short months; there is often no mail and no visits.

The skit wasn't put on by the inmates just to impress or entertain, but it is performed in hopes that the students would realize the

long term result of committing a crime.

After the skit, the students toured the industrial shops of the prison. Industry within the wall supplies almost all the needs of the prisoners.

Two farms are operated outside of the walls providing meat, milk, butter and vegetables for the inmates. Honor prisoners work on these farms and live outside the walls.

Produce Vehicle Tags

Many products are manufactured within the industrial shops, including the license plates for Indiana passenger cars, commercial vehicles and other vehicles which are required under law to display license plates. Approximately 1,800,000 passenger tags and 750,000 commercial tags are manufactured annually. Many highway signs, speed limit signs, stop signs, etc. are manufactured in the prison shops.

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The grounds are beautifully landscaped by the prisoners. The wall surrounding the prison stands 42 feet high.



During the summer months the prisoners participate in physical activities outside. During the winter months the physical activity is limited because of the weather. Photo shows weight lifting equipment, horseshoe pits, a basketball court and boxing ring.



The Crime Skit, put on by inmates at Indiana State Prison, was one of the most impressive parts of the entire field trip. Photo above is not of TJC students but of another group. Cameras were not allowed within the prison and photos were supplied by prison officials.

Prison Electric Chair Made From Old Gallows' Timbers

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Facilities to take care of the sick, aged, and for emergencies of all kinds are housed within the walls of the Indiana State Prison. The prison maintains a medical staff consisting of a medical director, assistant medical director, dentist, hospital administrator, psychiatric supervisor, and X-ray and laboratory aids. In addition, part-time consultants who are specialists in eye, ear, nose and throat, optometry, tuberculosis, therapy, surgery, and orthopedics are part of the staff. The only full time prison physician is a woman, Dr. Else K. Bell.

A modern hospital, constructed in 1949, has facilities for 120 patients with a medical laboratory, X-ray equipment, dental lab and an annex for the aged and ambulatory patients.

Two hurrying inmates and a stretcher on wheels became an ambulance in transporting a sick patient from cell house to the hospital while TJC students were on the "inside."

The prison has its own jail to cope with disciplinary problems within the confines of the institution. Sentences range from three to seven days, depending on the severity of the offense. The "jail-within-a-jail" has 54 cells and is almost at capacity every day of the year.

Prisoners are placed in the dark cell and may be handcuffed or put in restraint if they are extremely troublesome or might do physical harm to themselves. Those awaiting the death sentence are put in one of eight death row cells on the second floor of the same building.

See Electric Chair

Students were given an opportunity to see the electric chair, which was made in 1913 from the wood of the now extinct Indiana

gallows. Since then, 51 men have been electrocuted; the last was Leo Keifer in 1961.

More than 1100 books comprise the library at the Indiana State Prison. It functions much the same way as any public library; inmates check out books in the usual manner. A striking sign in the library stated, "Only two westerns per man." This seems to indicate that the prisoner's reading interest centers around the wild days of the western frontier.

The prison librarian, who was a member of the prison staff, indicated that they are always willing to accept books that anyone is willing to donate to the institution.

Library Needs Books

Literature is one way inmates in the Indiana State Prison can "escape," so donations are greatly appreciated by the prison officials.

Inmates seem to prefer westerns, mystery stories and science fiction in hard bound editions. The library in the prison consists of 1,100 books for 2,500 inmates, so the demand is always great.

Any donations can be delivered to the Courier Office.

In the same building as the library is the Lakeside School which offers inmates a chance to further their education. The average education of most inmates is only sixth grade. Grade school, high school, and some college courses are offered.

200 Inmates Participate

Some 200 men participate in the school program. It takes the place of working in another area of the prison. This may infer that inmates are lazy and do not like to

The entrance to the Indiana State Prison is heavily guarded. Visitors must pass through a check point before entering

the prison grounds. The last successful escape from prison was 35 years ago.

work will go to school. However, it does not operate this way. A student in the prison school is graded in the same manner as any other institution of learning. If an inmate fails to do his "homework" and receives a poor grade, he can be dropped from the school program and must then labor in one of the industrial positions of the prison.

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This was one time students were grateful that they were on the outside looking in.

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Inmates work in several industrial shops located inside the prison. The prison is responsible for supplying the license plates for all Indiana motor vehicles as well as signs for all state highways.



Inmates are pictured using the miniature golf course during an exercise period. The prisoners spend 15 of every 24 hours in their cells, so these periods are a welcome change.

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Watch stations keep an eye on every movement of all prisoners. Ten stations encompass the wall and are manned 24 hours a day.

Can I Get By With It?

The following article appeared in an edition of THE ENCOURAGER, a magazine published quarterly by the inmates of the Indiana State Prison as a means of self-expression. The views expressed in the following article are the opinions of the authors and are not construed as necessarily those of the officials of the state or prison administration.

Millions of persons in this corrupt world still ask, Is it right? They are the ones who seldom get into the papers. We must admit, however, the frequency of the questions, Can I get by with it? Will it work?

From kindergarten to college commencement many students work harder just to get by than they would have to work to learn. For the habit of learning makes learning easier as time goes on, while the habit of limiting learning to barely enough to get by, breeds difficulties and complications that trap the student in his own net.

Back in 1960, Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, speaking to a ninth-grade English class in Brooklyn, admonished them: "Don't try to just get by. The future will require all to develop ourselves to the best quality, the best capacity," she said.

"Nobody can do this for you," the ex-teacher pointed out, adding, "Do your best, do it wherever you are, and you will find your influence will grow."

Mrs. Roosevelt said the love of life is too strong for us to destroy the world, although we know how.

Then she flung her challenge: "I think we have an opportunity to do for the world what we early people who established America did for this country."

This gigantic job can never be accomplished on mere "get by" knowledge; it is going to demand the wisdom of the ages. And the beginning of wisdom is the realization that we do not learn a thing just to answer today's question, to pass next month's test. Whenever we actually learn can be over and over all through life.

When the question of getting by applies to education it means doing the very least possible. Applied to crime it means doing the most as fast as possible. The number of unsolved crimes prove that many get by in escaping the law. Some for only a short time; some for life. But they cannot escape from fear of being caught. And they cannot escape from themselves.

Some criminals, after escaping the law for years, find peace from self-torture by surrendering themselves. Others take the suicide way as did Lady Macbeth who warned us long ago: "Nought's had, all spent, where our desire is got without content." The home where a man character is really started must take the first step in providing that merely getting by does not work. The task of building the man character is to help each individual find his own purpose in life and to inspire him with the feeling of responsibility necessary to accomplish that purpose, without sacrificing others on the way to his goal.

Harvey YMCA Adds Two New TJC Services

The Harvey YMCA in cooperation with the YMCA of Metropolitan Chicago has added two new subjects to its expanding service at Thornton Junior College.

All TJC men are invited to participate in the 1964 summer program this summer. The YMCA of Chicago and the National Student Council of YMCA's will select college students from the Chicago metropolitan area to participate in this unique summer experience in South America, high in the Andes Mountains. North American students will work along with South American students in the construction of YMCA facilities in Peru, Ecuador.

Will Leave in July

The students will leave Chicago on July 6 for four days of intensive orientation in Washington, D.C. After work is completed, on August 8, the students will travel to Ecuador, Peru, and Columbia to be to fly directly to Chicago late in August.

For details concerning cost, program, and schedule, see Jim Aull or write him at 19 S. La Salle St., Chicago, Illinois.

Vocational Information Program

The Harvey YMCA has also initiated a vocational information program designed to help any TJC student establish contact with an adult in the Harvey community who is willing to discuss his vocational area with the student.

There are 25 men who are anxious to sit down with college students to help them with their plans for the future. At present the following vocational areas are represented: accounting, advertising, banking, chemistry, education, engineering, federal government, general business, industrial relations, law, medicine, ministry, personnel, retailing, sales, veterinary medicine, and voluntary social service.

For an appointment, see Mr. Aull or Mr. Byron Kee, dean of men.

Dean Duglar Will Attend Convention

Mr. Lee Duglar, dean of Thornton Junior College, and his wife will attend the 44th annual convention of the American Association of Junior College Deans from March 30 to April 2 in Bait Har, Florida.

Approximately 600 college administrators are expected to attend the convention, which will cover a wide range of topics pertaining to junior colleges.

Priority attention will be given to faculty recruitment, preparation, relations and responsibilities, state boards of junior college education, and programs for engineering and industrial technicians.

Guidelines to facilitate student transfers to four-year institutions, federal legislation, and financial programs in the junior college will be discussed.

Mr. Edmund Gleazer, Jr., executive director of the Association of Junior College Deans, said that the development of junior colleges at an accelerated rate has caused much national interest on how to approach to higher education.

Letter to the Editor

Mr. Duglar,

I wanted to write thanking you for your help recently in getting my scholarship situation settled.

I also wanted to thank you for the help you've given me in completing my college education upon completion at Thornton Junior College. I feel Thornton prepared me very well for the courses I'm now taking and my only regret is the time I had to take more than four years to complete.

Thank you again and I will always be indebted to Thornton Junior College and your excellent staff.

Sincerely yours,
Bob Titus
1963 graduate

128 PAGE BOOK DISTRIBUTED IN LATE MAY

1964 Caldron Largest in JC History

A kaleidoscopic view of the social, academic and athletic side of Thornton Junior College students has been captured by this year's "Caldron." The yearbook portrays, through pictures and words, just what has made this school year unique.

The 128 page "ready-made memory" is the largest ever compiled in Thornton's history. And, according to Mr. Roy Swanberg, yearbook sponsor and English instructor, the book is one of the best in recent years.

Work on the yearbook started about three weeks after school began and was completed on Sunday, March 8. However, that sounds deceptively simple. A yearbook does not just fall together. Its completion includes writing copy, taking pictures, selling advertising, laying out pages, and meeting deadlines.

The end result, a book that gives an accurate and comprehensive view of the school year, is dependent on the consistent effort of volunteer staff members who are willing to contribute their time and energy until the job is done.

Start From Scratch

When the yearbook staff began work, all they had was the dummy, a big loose leaf ledger with only blank page layout sheets, and their ideas. Main divisions such as athletics, social activities, etc. were made first. These were subdivided and tentatively arranged as to content and space allowed for each item. A yearbook is sent to the printers in sixteen page blocks. This allows the staff to complete the biggest parts first. In order to get the earliest part of the book out of the way quickly, picture schedules were set up and those sections were finished early in the school year. It



Editor of The Caldron yearbook is Dennis Johnson, a sophomore of Delton.

was then the responsibility of the yearbook staff to be alert and not miss any activity in which junior college students participated.

Mr. Swanberg has commented, "From year to year about 80 to 85% of the material that goes into a yearbook is the same. The challenge to each new staff was to make the other 15% interesting and original."

Many New Innovations

By the use of new page arrangements, a four-color picture, emphasis on the school mascot the "Bull-dog," and a very different cover, the 63-64 staff has done its best to give this year's book a personality.

The only requirement for membership on the staff was an interest

and a willingness to work. Experience was welcome but not essential. The entire staff worked as a team on the book for the beginning weeks. Then staff appointments were made by Mr. Swanberg according to individual interest, ability, and responsibility. It then became the job of these people to coordinate their ideas and efforts to produce a quality book.

This year's staff included, sophomores, Dennis Johnson, Editor in chief; Tom Renney, chief photographer and sports editor; Nancy Garrison, typist; Janice Yates, copy editor; Sue Graham, art editor; Teri Quirk, faculty, and freshmen, Sandra Painter, business manager; and Lee Skertch, publicity.

Met Weekly

Throughout the year they met weekly to talk over ideas for improving the book and made suggestions they felt were needed. Even after appointments on the staff were made, each member was responsible for the book and worked in almost every capacity at some time during the year.

The yearbook is financed by the Student Senate which appropriated money for its publication out of the \$10 activity fee that every student is required to pay. This means that students receive the book, published by the King Company of Park Ridge, free. Second semester students pay an additional two dollars. The books will be distributed on May 20 from the Courier - Caldron office.

Every effort has been made by the yearbook staff to turn out a book that will help everyone remember their year or semester at Thornton Junior College.

Niemann Wins Men's Students Plan Treasure Hunt During Spring Break

Sophomores captured the top three spots in the Men's Club sponsored ping-pong tournament held in Thornton's gym last Saturday morning from 8:30 to 11:30.

Ralph Niemann, took first place, Jack Greszlik (chairman of the tournament) placed second, and Dennis Lilligan finished third. All three sophomores and will receive trophies.

Interest in the double elimination tournament ran high as 16 men from their beds early on a Saturday morning to play ping-pong.

According to Men's Club sponsor Byron E. Kee, dean of men, "This sort of thing is good for the club and the school."

"The guys who came out on top were really good and the competition among the last to be eliminated was extremely keen."

Student Study Abroad Program Growing Rapidly

The rapidly growing trend toward international studies has caused an "education explosion" in the number of American students attending foreign universities according to the 1964 edition of *Study Abroad*, a book listing the opportunities for support in advanced studies outside the United States. The book is available in the junior college library.

Nearly 19,000 American students attended foreign universities during 1963 while 78,000 foreign students were enrolled in American schools.

Fields of study range from administration to zoology with more than 130,000 scholarships and fellowships worth hundreds of millions of dollars according to the book.

All relevant data is given for each grant listed in *Study Abroad*, including standards of eligibility and where and when to apply. Handy classification codes show the field of study for which financial aid is offered. International and intergovern-

mental organizations, including the United Nations, provide more than 10,000 scholarships while more than 290 American universities and colleges offer assistance to students from abroad. Most of them grant fellowships abroad to American students.

The Unesco Publications Center, 317 East 34th St., New York, is the publisher of *Study Abroad* and distributes all publications of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization and of the United Nations.

First, they are not going to Florida, but to Padre Island. It stretches over a hundred miles along the Gulf of Mexico from Corpus Cristo to Brownsville. It is inhabited by little else but wild hogs, raccoons, coyotes, and a lot of rattlers.

Secondly, they have a definite plan. The four adventurers plan to leave the Friday that Spring vacation starts and drive straight through. On arrival they will unload shovels, tent, food, metal detectors and maps to search for a lost treasure.

The treasure was supposedly carried by Spanish galleons carrying Incas gold from Yucatan, Mexico, who were blown off course by a hurricane and wrecked on the island. John Singer, who lived on the island in the early 1800's reportedly dug up a treasure of jewels and gold worth eighty thousand dollars.

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Under the plan, scholarships will be available to freshmen, as well as sophomores, who transfer to four year institutions.

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Maximum monetary assistance will again be \$730. However, financial aid cannot be in excess of the school's tuition.

Scholarship Plan Is Discussed By State Commission

Mr. Lee Duglar, dean of TJCC, attended a meeting of the upper class program of the Illinois State Scholarship Commission in Chicago recently.

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With spring now upon us, Ruthie Farmer, freshman, is taking advantage of the mild weather to do a little studying outside. "Dimples," as her friends call her, is a sophomore from Harvey in the liberal arts curriculum. Dancing rates high on her list of interests as does her speech class. After graduation, Ruthie plans to attend Chicago Teachers College and then she hopes to become an elementary teacher.

Stress Academic Achievement at New Area College

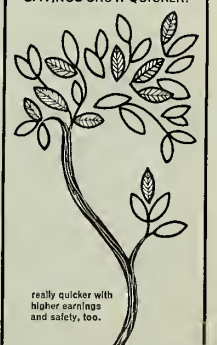
If the South Suburban area of Chicago gets the four-year liberal arts college that is planned within the next decade, it might very well be one of the most modern colleges in the nation.

Named Park Forest College and located in Park Forest, Illinois, the school would accent academic achievement and offer a top faculty, modern and ample facilities, and a first-class curriculum. Inter-scholastic sports and automobiles are excluded in the plans.

One of the modern features the Park Forest College will be the utilization of the Dutch microfilm system which replaces books in the school libraries. The system is comprised of "books" which are made up of sheets of micro-film about 3 x 5 inches in size. Each of these sheets contains 64 pages of standard text material.

Currently in the planning stage, three educational groups are sponsoring a series of public forums and trustees workshops at various high schools in the south suburban area. The next meeting will take place at Bloom Township High School Sunday at 7:30 p.m. where development and considering a curriculum will be discussed. Interested persons should call 747-1777 for more information.

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TJC Bulldogs Close Successful Season, Posting a 17-4 Record

Tournament hopes for the Bulldogs of Thornton Junior College ended at the Region IV qualifying tournament at Joliet Junior College. Don Williams and his cagers suffered their fourth defeat of the season to host Joliet, 84-80, in the championship game.

The win advanced Joliet to the Region IV championship tournament, while the defeat ended Thornton's season with a 17-4 record. The outstanding record posted by the Bulldogs led coach Williams with a two year career record of 38 wins against only seven defeats.

Three of the career losses, however, came from the Joliet quintet while single setbacks were administered by Wright, Crane, Amundsen and Canton.

Share League Title

Thornton captured a share of the Northern Illinois Junior College conference title for the first time in 31 years this season. The Bulldogs finished with a 9-2 league standard and tied for first place with Wright and Crane.

During the regular season, Thornton was ranked as high as tenth in a national poll of junior colleges. The poll was based on the votes of coaches of junior college quintets throughout the nation.

No new individual or team records were established by the 1963-64 edition of the TJC Bulldogs, but three standards were tied. As a team, the Bulldogs tied the single game scoring record of 120 points against Morton and, in the same game, equalled the field goal record of 63.

Vern Ryan tied the single game

Tennis Practice Will Start Next Monday

Taking over his new position as Tennis coach, Mr. Don Williams has announced a meeting of athletes interested in playing tennis this season Monday, March 23, at 3:30 p.m. in room G-39.

INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL STANDINGS

Shoekers	W	L
Polish Pn.	3	0
Scramblers	3	1
Sears & Co.	3	1
Bombers	2	2
Fire Wees	2	2
Waitresses	0	3

This week's results
Scramblers 48, Waitresses 44 (overtime)
Shoekers 48, Bombers 36
Polish Pn. 80, Sears 40

Buda Gym Will Be Razed During Spring Vacation

One of the oldest and most historic buildings on the campus of Thornton Junior College, and in the City of Harvey, will soon become but a memory as the 40-year old structure falls to the wreckers blow.

The ancient Buda gym, the scene of many great sports events of both TJC and Thornton High School, is scheduled to be torn down during the Spring vacation on Monday, March 30. Buda will make way for a new athletic field, which will be used for football and track, and will be completed autumn of the next school year. TJC will play its home games on this field even though the new bleachers will not be available. With the purchase of new stands, planned for the Autumn of 1965, the capacity will exceed 5000. The mountains of black soil will be leveled and graded for the field and to help drainage.

Bulldog Statistics

TJC Bulldogs (17-4)						
	SA	B	FA	FM	FF	TF
(Final)						
Poindester	870	173	132	70	65	421
Ryan	320	120	39	40	30	307
Beasley	508	112	38	25	30	307
Masick	216	81	41	20	20	161
Rettker	140	85	54	35	43	162
Harris	130	93	57	33	29	158
Joliff	123	87	53	10	14	133
Goldie	63	24	14	5	20	63
Gillespie	34	12	14	0	11	33
Hopkins	18	7	7	5	14	19
Holbert	9	1	5	3	3	5
Fox	2	0	4	0	4	10
Moore	1	1	0	0	0	2
Booker	2	0	0	0	1	6
Totals	1709	893	440	281	420	1927
Opponents	1002	603	280	148	370	1551

scoring mark against LaSalle-Peru when he tallied 43 points.

Poindester Leads Scoring

Season scoring honors, however, went to sophomore Reuben Poindester who tallied 421 points in 21 games for a 20.1 average. Ryan, the second All-American choice of the NJCCO conference, scored 358 points in 19 games for an 18.8 mark. Sophomore Paul Bentley also finished the season averaging in the double figures, scoring 307 points for a 14.6 clip.

The Bulldogs eclipsed the century mark (100 points or more) in six games while establishing a new record in points per game. Last year's team set the season scoring record of 2144 points in 20 games, but this year's quintet tallied 1927 points in three less games.

Last year's average per game was 89.2 points a game, while this year's club finished with a 91.8 gait.

Bentley missed setting an individual record in season shooting percentage by two one-hundredths of a percent. The record was established in 1960 by John Lau who finished the season was a .543 percent. Bentley hit 142 baskets in 268 tries during the season for a .541 percentage.

Five Starters Graduate

Graduation will hit next year's TJC basketball team hard. Coach Williams will lose all five of his regular starters: Reuben Poindester, Vern Ryan, Paul Bentley, Jim Masick and Oliver Carter.

Returning freshmen who saw action this season are Dale Rettker, Jim Harris, Charles Joliff, Bill Gillespie, Bobby Johnson, Charles Halbert, Chuck Hopkins, and Bud Goldie.

Most students associate the Buda gym with only the physical education classes for men now held there, but before the new gym was created all Thornton basketball games, among other events were held there. Erected in 1924 by the Buda Company, now Allis-Chalmers, the gym was originally used by employees of the company for recreation. Such facilities as billiards, bowling alleys, dancing, as well as basketball were provided.

The gym was sold to the high school in the early 1930's and was used up until 1948 as the home of the Bulldogs in basketball as well as by the high school. Since its purchase by the school, Buda has been used by the high school gymnastic team as well as by the Men's P.E. classes.

After the Spring vacation, classes held in Buda will be held in the gymnasium at 150th and Broadway.



Kings of Thornton Junior College ping-pong were crowned last Saturday at the Men's Club ping-pong tournament. They are (bottom to top) Ralph Neumann (first place winner), Jack Greszik (second place winner and chairman of the tournament), and Dennis Lilligan (third place winner). All are sophomores.

TJC All-American Vern Ryan Almost Went to Joliet JC

By Mike Jerding

When the last semester started in 1962, Vern Ryan was safely enrolled at Joliet Junior College via an athletic scholarship. As fate would have it, the scholarship was cancelled and Ryan found his way to Harvey and Thornton Junior College.

Ever since that day when Joliet coach A. A. (Fitz) Wills informed Ryan that he couldn't attend Joliet on a scholarship, Wills has probably kicked himself every hour on the hour; for the muscular 6-1 Blue Island high school star he let through his hands literally tore into the game of basketball for TJC.

Ryan had been very impressive during his high school days. He won all-area and all-conference awards his last two years at Blue Island, and in his senior year he was voted to the all-Chicago and all-state basketball teams.

Essentially modest, Ryan's reactions to these awards is that they are "fine, o.k." He rarely elaborates. This is direct result of something we may term as Ryan's code which is: "Keep improving, don't be satisfied with what you have."

Ryan's code has affected him all through his life and is really what brought him back to school after a year's lay-off working. He then decided he'd better go back to school.

"People have no idea of the amount of practice basketball takes," he scolds. "A guy just



From The Press Box

By Mike Jerding

The 1963-64 school year has been a year of using the phrase "last year's team" in school sports and baseball is no exception. B. Thornton ever had a right to refer to "last year's team," it do baseball.

For the first time in Thornton Junior College's history, an athletic team traveled to a national tournament. "Last year's" baseball squad, under coach John Carlson, amassed a season's record of 11-5 and finished sixth in the national tournament at Grand Junction, Colorado.

Members of the squad who are returning this year will remember the thrill of playing in that tournament and are, needless to say, anxious to return to Grand Junction. Since Thornton was new to these tournaments, all the class and notoriety that went with the spectacle awed everyone, including the coaches and reporters from this area who traveled with the team.

Grand Junction is a city noted for its hospitality, and Thornton received the royal treatment from the citizens there. Such things as soda pop in the dugouts during the game, free meals at the expense of the service organizations in Grand Junction, transportation for the coaches and team to and from practices and games, and, to top it all off, the Rocky Mountains in the background made everyone feel welcomed.

Grand Junction earned the reputation that was tagged on it by Life Magazine as "All-American City." The city worked at it so diligently that it was hard for the Bulldogs

Softball League Invites Men To Play This Summer

A summer 12-inch softball league for men living in Riverdale, Ed and Harvey is planning on expanding from four to six or eight teams. An invitation is being extended to junior college men to join the league either individually or as a complete team. Men interested should contact Joe Farrell, a student at TJC.

attend college next fall, he plans to finish his education before taking advantage of an offer to go with the Harlem Globetrotters. A few years with the famous traveling basketball wizards, he wants to turn to professional basketball and, after that, coach, which is his main objective.

"I like working with kids," says, "so the best thing for me coaching."

Whatever Vern Ryan does in future years, it will always be the idea in mind of what his present coach expects from Ryan. Williams wants success for muscular sophomore and Ryan knows it.

"It's important to me that don't let him down," Ryan adds. "I'll try my best."

We know he will.

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Crown Sweetheart at Staggette Dance Saturday Night

Junior college co-eds and their escorts are attending the annual Staggette Dance this Saturday night at the music of Ed Johnson and the Mayfairs this Saturday night, 8:30 to 11:30, in the Louis room of the Shoreland Hotel, pink and cranberry velvet, gages, and candle light.

The Grand March will be at 9:30 and will be followed at 10:30 by the coronation of this year's Sweetheart and Maid of Honor. Miss Salvage, mistress of ceremonies, will lead the grand march in the charge of the coronation. Cynthia Poli, last year's Sweetheart, will crown this year's Sweetheart. TJC's Sweetheart will be a crown of roses and will be crowned by a bouquet of long roses. Each member of the court will receive a trophy and a certificate from the Sweetheart's court.

Members of the court are sophomores Gail Dunker, Nancy Gar-



Isla Rothenhoefer

Gail Dunker

Nancy Garrison

Kathy Hagen

Marilyn Lau

rison, Kathy Hagen, Marilyn Lau, Isla Rothenhoefer, and freshmen Joy Fischer, Mary Ellen Haney, Mary Fitzgerald, Joan La Rue, and Carolyn Leick.

Honored guests of the evening will be Dr. James D. Logsdon, Dean and Mrs. Dulgar, Mr. and Mrs. Kee, Miss Childs, Mrs. Pesler, and Miss Waterman. The affair will be chaperoned by Mr. and

Mrs. Wayne Willard, and Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Roberts.

Thornton's Staggette was held for the first time on March 6, 1936. It was a leap year and the girls apparently felt that it was as good a time as any to institute a dance to which they could invite the college men. At that time, the student body was so small that the dance was held in the Co-ed Club

Room, which is now the Union Room. Men wore vegetable corsages supplied by their dates.

The first Sweetheart was elected in 1941 and, since then, her coronation has been a feature of the dance.

Tickets for this year's Staggette are \$4.00 per couple and may be purchased outside the library, from the Co-ed Club officers or

seniority leaders. They may also be purchased at the door on Saturday night.

The officers of the Co-ed Club have played the entire dance and are expecting about 200 couples to fill the "Tender Trap" to carry on a tradition that is almost as old as Thornton Junior College itself.

ARTS MONDAY

Register for Fair

Dean Lee Dulgar has announced a schedule for preliminary registration for the fall semester at Thornton Junior College.

During the week of April 20, students currently enrolled in TJC will register for new semester forms will be distributed in English 101 and 102 classes. Seniors from Thornton and Thornton High Schools will have an opportunity to register from May 1 to May 10. Students outside of district 205 can register from May 19 to May 21.

Mr. Dulgar has also announced new courses which will be offered by Thornton Junior College next year. These include a one-credit course in general zoology, business mathematics for those in commerce and business curricula, a production course in mathematics, Russian language, and engineering graphics in place of engineering drawing.

MA Will Take Field Trip to Kennedy School

What kind of life does the mentally retarded child lead? How can he learn and achieve? Members of Thornton's chapter of Adult Education Association (AEA) will have the opportunity to find out about the mentally retarded when they visit the E.A. Joseph Kennedy School for Exceptional Children in Palos Park on Thursday, April 23.

This field trip is open to any student interested in education. Since the limit is 20 students for the length of the tour of the school, those interested in attending must sign the card on the bulletin board across from the library by three o'clock Friday afternoon, April 20.

ete Schloss Is Elected As Vice-President of NJCAA

ete Schloss, Thornton Junior College athletic coordinator and physical education instructor, was elected vice president of the National Junior College Athletic Association recently at a general meeting of the organization in Hutchinson, Kansas.

Schloss has served as Region IV director for the last six years and will serve his term as president for the next two years. His main responsibility will be to coordinate the annual Junior College Shrine football game that he has inaugurated next Thanksgiving day. The association will head a committee to select the nation's best junior college football teams to participate

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Scholarship Meeting Is Slated for Wednesday

Students interested in obtaining a scholarship for next year are invited to attend a scholarship meeting at 3:30 p.m. on Wednesday, April 22, in room 318.

Discussion will center around scholarship opportunities for TJC graduates, transfer students, and sophomores.

Three principal types of scholarships are available.

Open House at Evening School

Thornton Township's Adult Education Program will have its first open house in its history next Tuesday evening when residents and friends of School District 205 will be invited to visit classes in session from 7-9 p.m.

Mr. Arthur Stejskal, director of the adult education program, remarked that the open house will "help residents become better informed of the opportunities available to them in adult education." All of the 42 classes will be in session in addition to special displays set up in cake decorating, speed reading, art, knitting, and wood working. In the area of sports, women's volleyball and men's swimming will be open to the public.

Refreshments served in the cafeteria will conclude the evening's activities.

ships are available. There are 75 scholarships for the University of Illinois. These are open to junior college graduates who have maintained a sufficient grade average and have shown a need.

About 12 or 13 Illinois State scholarships can be obtained through the upper class program of the scholarship commission. TJC sophomores and transfer students are eligible if they are planning to go to another college in Illinois. Satisfactory grades and a need requirement are also necessary to receive this type.

TJC graduates who plan to attend one of the six state universities in Illinois to major in teaching may receive a third type. Applicants must indicate their desire to teach in Illinois. Students planning to teach special education are also eligible for scholarships.

New TJC Catalog Will Include School Calendar

New courses and the addition of a school routine calendar will be the major changes in Thornton Junior College's catalog for the school year of 1964-65.

The olive-green colored pamphlet will contain a calendar listing examination schedules, holidays, and special days in school routine.

Russian and contemporary foreign government will be new courses next year while general zoology will be extended to a two-semester course instead of the one.

The technological department will also have changes. Engineering 101 will be changed to Engineering 103 and Descriptive Geometry 102 will become Engineering 104. Four new technological mathematics courses will also be offered and an extra semester of technological physics will be added.

A new business curriculum will be offered to prepare a student for immediate entry to the business world upon graduation. Previously, only a business preparatory course was offered.

Cirde K Club Is Selling World's Finest Chocolate

The Circle K Club of TJC, sponsored by the Harvey Kiwanis Club, has taken up the sale of chocolate almonds made by World's Finest Chocolate.

The price per box of candy is one dollar and a percentage of the sale will go to the club's treasury.

Mother-Daughter Banquet Tuesday

The Co-ed Club Mother-Daughter Banquet will be held Tuesday, April 21, at 6:30 p.m. "Pastel Fantasy" will be the theme for the annual event to be held at Surma's Restaurant in Homewood.

Sponsoring the evening's entertainment for Co-ed Club members and their mothers is the Alpha Sorority. Pat Christ, sophomore, will be the hostess.

Highlights of the evening will include a fashion show and the announcement of the newly elected Co-ed Club officers for next year.

Lambda Epsilon Meets

Mr. Paul Godwin, faculty sponsor of Lambda Epsilon, has requested that all members of Lambda Epsilon meet in room 230-B on Monday, April 20 at 3:20 p.m.

The purpose of the meeting will be to make plans for the annual Lambda Epsilon dinner, which is tentatively scheduled for Friday, May 15.

State Offers Insurance Examiner Posts to Junior College Students

An opportunity for Thornton Junior College students with a background in accounting, insurance, or mathematics has been presented with the announcement that the Illinois Department of Insurance plans to double its staff of insurance company examiners.

The department of insurance, a branch of the state government that regulates insurance companies and agencies for the protection of the public, is currently recruiting new examiners from Illinois colleges and junior colleges.

Richard G. Hershberg, director of the examiner dept., stressed industry as creating an urgent need for an expanded examination staff. He believes this to be an exception, cited the continuous rapid growth of the insurance industry opportunity for college trained personnel to acquire specialized training and experience in a dynamic and challenging industry, where such training is in great demand.

Salaries Vary

The salaries for examiners range from \$5,940.00 to \$15,140.00 per year with rapid advancement based on merit, ability, and Civil Service status.

The duties of insurance company examiners include auditing accounts, reviewing records, verifying assets, and reviewing claim and policy files, and

Men's Club Petitions Available

Wayne Marley, president of the TJC Men's Club, has announced that petitions for officers and board members of the Men's Club will be made available to qualified student on Monday, April 20.

To qualify for an office or board position for next year, a student must be a member of the Men's Club, have a 2.0 average, and no failing grades from the previous semester. All petitions must be in by April 29. The elections will be held on Wednesday, May 6.

For further details concerning qualification and procedure of petitioning, see Casey Skorpiński or Bailey, chairman of the election, or Mr. Kee, Men's Club adviser.

Dean Dulgar Attending College Testing Program

Mr. Lee Dulgar, dean of Thornton Junior College, is in Chicago today for a meeting of the executive committee of the Illinois College Testing Program.

The purpose of the meeting is to set up the organization and structure of the executive committee.

The Board, which was formed in 1959, is composed of representatives from public and private colleges, junior colleges, and secondary school principals in Illinois.

Work opportunities abroad for the summer and the year-round are also available to Thornton Junior College students. For a description of these, see page 2.

analyzing methods of operations of companies to determine compliance with the Illinois Insurance Code and accepted accounting standards.

For More Information

Anyone interested in this career opportunity may arrange for an interview through the college or by writing to: Mr. N. J. Zabinski, C.F.A., Chief Examiner, Department of Insurance, State of Illinois, 160 North LaSalle Street, Room 1140, Chicago, Illinois 60601.

Board of Education Honors TJC Faculty

Instructors from Thornton Junior College will have an opportunity to attend the fourteenth annual faculty appreciation dinner at the Thorndike cafeteria on Thursday, April 23.

Mr. Henry Vandenberg, president of the Board of Education, and Dr. James Logsdon, superintendent of district 205, will act as hosts for the occasion.

Faculty members from Thornton and Thorndike high schools will also be present at the dinner.

It seemed for a while that Winter was going to put in its appearance late again this year. Spring has at last arrived, however, and with it has come the urge to take a break from the old classroom routine and head for the dunes or maybe just for a drive in the country.

Spring always brings something else besides clear sunny skies and the annual attacks of spring fever and sunburn which seem to strike all of us—final exams, of course, and that sudden powerful surge of term papers and various other projects which precede them.

nature is wonderful but grades are too

dom. For college men and women there are other instructors, however, the ones who give us our final grades. These instructors may not be as inspiring or as refreshing as nature is, but at the present time they are far more important.

If we can catch our second wind and complete the semester satisfactorily, by sheer endurance if nothing else, we can then begin a well deserved and much more satisfying vacation.

Most junior college students are not of voting age; fortunately, many of them have been taking a vital interest in the process of campaigning. A notable accomplishment of TJC students was in the primary elections this week, especially in the hotly contested Republican primary between Charles H. Percy and William J. Scott.

The future of our country will rest upon the shoulders of young people; American youth has heard this idea since the day they could understand the native language. Brooming modern youth, however, has had adverse effects.

It is only when they realize, through education and the maturation process that they too can take part in their own government and see its improvement through their own hard work. This is what is happening to a number of junior college students who have learned through history or political science classes that whatever faults lie in United States government, they, and only they, the youth of America, can correct. The graft, the injustices, and poor representation found in our political bodies can only change through the work of young Americans vitally interested in good government. Perhaps the main thing that these students learn is that they don't have to be 21 to start worrying about their government.

TJC students are swept into political whirlwind

The college student should be aware of the situations that exist around him, but often times he is not. The students who took part in the primary elections this week not only helped to brighten the future of politics, but they also helped sweep the college student into the whirlwind of world, national, and local affairs.

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TJC Treasure Hunters Fail To Find Fortune in Texas

Treasure hunting aficionados, Graig Maxwell, Norm Warns, and Pete Wasilkoff, along with freshman Howard Letke, set out for Padre Island during spring vacation but five days, one thousand miles, and two tubes ("Sea-See and Ski") later they returned with only one 1955 nickel.

The expedition was not without incident. On the first day the hopeful quartet had to pull their car out of the sand before the tide came in. Fortunately a truck full of Mexican workers from the offshore oil derricks, visible from the island, came to their aid and the car was saved.

The second morning, Navy personnel interrupted a pancake breakfast to inform the campers that practice bombing runs would begin in the general vicinity of their camp any minute. After a hasty conference, they decided to move.

Returning from an all day hike

the third day, the campers found their camp half buried with sand. The wind blew the whole time they were camped and sand was a main part of every meal.

The group's efforts were rewarded when Norm Warns found a shiny nickel buried in the sand on the beach.

Treasure hunting was done on foot and the hunters amassed hours of professional beachcombing experience. Norma, Pete, and Graig all agree that treasure hunting is like gambling; it gets in your blood.

Two TJC Instructors Awarded Fellowships

Two Thornton Junior College instructors have been awarded science fellowships for this summer. Mr. Martin Baker, TJC Geology Instructor, has been awarded a National Science Foundation fel-

Campus Scene

By Tom Girard

Dr. Edmund H. Volkart, Oregon State University dean of faculty, recently commented that teaching loads for college instructors should not be more than three courses a term. Dr. Volkart feels that with the added free time professors could spend more time with students, aiding them in their scholastic work. He declared that closer student-instructor relationships would prove beneficial to the student's education. Free time would also permit professors to assign more papers for the students to prepare.

I don't know if I'm quite in favor of that plan after knowing the reason for it.

GRADI, a computer grading system was used last semester by the Pacific Union College in Angwin, California, to grade objective examinations. In all, the computer scored about 7,760 tests. Administration officials point out that hundreds of hours of teacher-time were saved for more creative tasks. They also stated that grades were assigned with an accuracy not possible with old-fashioned methods. GRADI will soon be available to universities all over the country.

I guess this means heaven for those who don't like essay examinations!

Rockford College has increased the self-governing powers of its student body by granting upper class students permission to chaperone on-campus functions. The new decision is limited to junior and senior students who have acceptable academic standings and service records.

Anybody going to Rockford College?

Courier's Co-ed



Pausing for a moment to enjoy the mild weather outside is the Courier Co-ed for April 17, Francine Baile. A sophomore from Chicago, Francine attended St. Wilfrid High School. She is currently enrolled in the pre-teaching curriculum and plans to teach in the third grade at Holy Rosary Grammar School after graduating from Thornton Junior College.

fellowship to the Colorado School of Mining at Golden, Colorado.

Presently serving his first year as a member of the junior college faculty, Mr. Baker will be spending the summer, beginning June 15, in the Southwest studying the geological formations of the southern Rocky Mountains. Most of the classes will be held in the field and traveling will be by pack train, according to Mr. Baker.

Mr. Milton Gilmore, Thornton Junior College chemistry instructor, has been selected from among college teachers all over the nation to attend a special institute this summer at the University of California.

Selected on the basis of many qualifications, including a minimum of three years as a college instructor and the acquisition of a Bachelor's degree, Mr. Gilmore was chosen along with 24 other teachers to be the recipient of a grant to attend the institute, which will be held from June 29 to August 14. The institute is offered in cooperation with the National Science Foundation and the Atomic Energy Commission.

Year-Round Jobs Abroad Available to TJC Students

Students interested in "Year-Round Jobs Abroad" last week packed the Manhattan meeting sponsored by the International Student Travel Center (ISTC) of New York City. Student and teacher members from all over the U.S., their friends, faculty and staff members attended. ISTG is the U.S., Canadian, and Latin American representative for the International Student Information Service of Brussels, Belgium. ISTS is a non-profit organization.

Newly returned from his two-month European visit to eight countries, ISTG Director Frank Gordon reported on new job opportunities and gave a progress account on the "Six European Economic Community and the 'Outer Seven European Free Trade Area' countries.

Mr. Gordon said, "We have many interesting as well as educational jobs and also opportunities to stay with foreign families. These are possible also on a year-round basis in more than 30 countries including Tahiti and Australia. We shall continue to add new services, countries and opportunities." He also announced that recent negotiations began last July with several Iron Curtain countries indicate that those countries may also be included in the ISTC program.

Mr. Gordon stated that jobs in such categories as farm, resort-hotel, office, child care, factory and hospital are still available this summer in Belgium, French-speaking Switzerland, and Germany. He added that his organization always

has jobs and can place applicants within days, if necessary, but some of the best jobs take the most time to find, and that those who qualified and plan ahead are best off. Most of the jobs are available from March through October.

Those interested in any of the ISTG programs are invited to inquire at their Placement Foreign Language Department to write to ISTG, 39 Gordon Street, New York, N.Y. 10017.

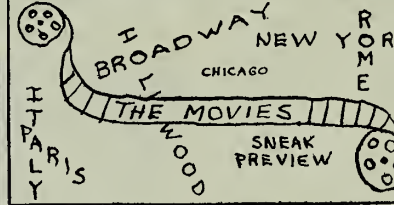
Opportunities in Peace Corps Give

Unique opportunities will this summer for mechanically adept persons interested in service. Peace Corps Volunteers.

The need is so great for volunteers with mechanical ability that even degrees in mechanics can be useful in the Corps.

Iran, Somali Republic, Equatorial Guinea, and British Honduras have the Peace Corps for volunteer mechanical training or experience who can help to repair and maintain automobiles, tractors, farm machinery, and road building construction equipment. There is a need for the teaching of skills.

To be eligible for the Peace Corps, volunteers must be American citizens over 18 years of age. Salary is \$75 a month in addition to living and travel expenses. Interested persons should write to the Office of Public Affairs, Peace Corps, Washington, D.C. 20525.



Seven Days in May is an adventure suspense movie about hanky panky in high places. Burt Lancaster is General Scott, head of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, Kirk Douglas is his aide, Colonel Victor Gasey, and Fredric March is President Jordon Lyman. It is all about how Douglas uncovers a military plot to take over the government of the United States and to install Lancaster as President.

There are two unusual things about Seven Days: the first is, that despite what seems to be the implication of the film—there are no bad guys. Put it this way: everyone is motivated by the Constitution and by the highest ideals of American citizenship.

And because there is certain amount of merit in each position we end up without a villain. Lancaster is only superficially a villain. You might think that he is wrong in objecting to the peace treaty, but I think you should forget the actual politics of it. You might think that Lancaster does show a certain amount of contempt for the democratic processes in trying to install himself in the White House in such an unorthodox way, but he is sure the American people support him (he is shown to be a very patriotic man) and that is the defense they do. Because it's established early in the game that the treaty has the support of only 29 per cent of the American people. It is certainly true that Lancaster is guilty of doing things in an unorthodox way, but he makes a very convincing argument that these are unorthodox times.

So unlike Dr. No there are no villains, and that's why March can, as he does, that no one is really guilty, that only the times are guilty, and that men have lost faith in them.

It is an attractive idea, a sort

of dispersion of responsibility. Seven Days is that, though with no good guys, or maybe even a good guy. That's nice. At the same time, it's very sophisticated, and very temporary. It is also I think essence of democratic thought that no one opinion is given or weight than any other. I don't think that is a praise of democracy. Which us to the second unusual point.

Dealing With Safety The second unusual thing about Seven Days is that, though dealing with the safety or defense of the country, we are nonetheless not given one picture of business in movies or in the defense of the citizenry of the country. The Republic is saved (I am giving anything away) by accident—and by means, in a high-handed way, by a coup d'état. But it is, of course, the usual speech about we saved it, you know, the guys, guys like you and me.

But actually that is what democracy is all about, so if it is to be saved in a high-handed way, in other words, the defense of the Republic is equivalent to an attack on the Republic, if things come out—that's hard to assure.

Nevertheless it's all good danger at the top. You know old Shakespearean and Aristotelian ideas about presidents installing themselves in the White House. Lots of business at the Pentagon and at the White to give a ring of authenticity that you don't look at the immediate and clench their jaws. March, probably our best president Spencer Tracy, looks tired that seems to be because we troops in on him. In fact, there is apparently no First

Glenwood School for Boys

AREA SCHOOL OFFERS QUALITY EDUCATION

Gerald Compton, Karen Bovard and the Courier Staff

Mr. Oscar L. Dudley, a representative of the National Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, was visiting Chicago's squalid streets in the summer of 1886 in search for homeless animals. He had walked the foul smelling streets many times and the small, ragged, sad-eyed children clad in rags were not strangers to him. They had always been there crying in the trash strewn alleys and the swimming pool has been enclosed in order that it might be used the year round. Glenwood School, just as any community in which boys live, would be incomplete, however, if the boys had not been allowed to make a few improvements of their own. And it seems that when boys approach a certain age they have an uncontrollable desire to take up their residence with birds and squirrels. To satisfy their urges in this direction the boys of Glenwood School have constructed a tree-house for themselves, complete with a bicycle garage below.



Industrial training is one of the many ways in which the boys may participate. Here are Robert Bohack and Edward Hanz at the drill press.

Tom had never had a decent meal in a warm bed. Mr. Dudley contacted Robert Lincoln, president of the Urban Standard Corporation, and requested a conference with him. They discussed the unbelievable conditions in which children had been forced to live. Lincoln was deeply moved by the picture Mr. Dudley described and resolved that something had to be done. A plan was devised to establish a school to

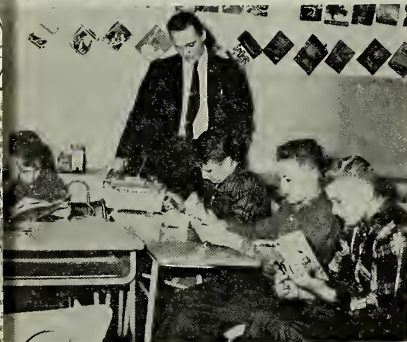
train boys to become independent and productive citizens.

Established in 1887, Glenwood School for Boys was established in 1887 and since then has been giving underprivileged children opportunities for development they otherwise might never have had.

The beautifully landscaped, tree-shaded campus has changed somewhat during the past 77 years. A new chapel and modern hospital facilities were added five years ago, and the swimming pool has been enclosed in order that it might be used the year round. Glenwood School, just as any community in which boys live, would be incomplete, however, if the boys had not been allowed to make a few improvements of their own. And it seems that when boys approach a certain age they have an uncontrollable desire to take up their residence with birds and squirrels. To satisfy their urges in this direction the boys of Glenwood School have constructed a tree-house for themselves, complete with a bicycle garage below.

Boys, ranging in age from seven to 18, are recommended for admission to Glenwood either by their families or by the courts. All boys who have been recommended are then screened and selected by an intake committee without regard to their race, religious creed, or color. The families of the boys are asked to contribute what they can afford to aid the school in providing for the boys. If the boy's parents are unable to assist the school, however, the boy's needs will be provided from an endowment fund which supplies 50 per cent of all the school's expenditures. Annually, an additional 25 per cent is contributed by private donors.

In earlier years, Glenwood School concentrated mostly on teaching agriculture and the various trades



In the Remedial Reading Clinic, Mr. Martin, standing, helps a number of the boys with their reading problems. From left to right are, Robert Lichtfuss, Lloyd Went, Carry Tillman, and Philip Schultz.



Dormitories at Glenwood emphasize a homey atmosphere and are kept neat and comfortable through daily cleaning by the boys.



With part of the school in the background, the boys march to a meal. Military formations are used by Glenwood School in the training of these boys.

such as printing, mechanics, and 11 year old friend, Richard Thomas, each of whom has two brothers who are attending Glenwood, stated that they were both looking forward with great anticipation to spending their four weeks at Glenwood's Summer Camp. The students are taken in groups of 100 to the camp which is located near Loretta, Wisconsin. Here the boys camp out, fish, participate in various group activities in the open air and sunshine.

Boys Proud of Glenwood
All of the boys interviewed seemed to be in agreement on one point. They all felt that they had many more opportunities at Glenwood than they could possibly have elsewhere. The boys feel they have a superior educational institution, the chance to train themselves for life in an increasingly complex world, but, above all, the opportunity to grow up with a sense of belonging.

Major General Henry R. Westphalinger, Glenwood's executive director, voiced his feelings about the school by saying, "Glenwood should not be considered an adequate substitute for a home. There is not, nor can there be one. Glenwood is, however, serving an extremely important mission in that it is giving many boys the opportunity to become independent and productive members of a free society. And when you stop to think about it, what more can be asked of any school?"

Basic Military Program
All of the boys at Glenwood participate in a basic military program and the older boys, 14-18 years of age, are enrolled in regular ROTC classes and are given officer's rankings. The students are then divided into two companies with an officer in charge of each. The companies are then sub-divided into four platoons, each platoon having a cottage as a residence hall with a captain and a lieutenant in charge of each. The boys are taught military discipline and how to properly care for their belongings.

The most important event of the year is the Flag Day ceremony brightened by a formal military ball in the evening. Preparations for each of these occasions begin immediately after the previous spring vacation.

Visitors are usually most surprised at the immaculate cottages and work areas for which the boys themselves are responsible. In the manual training class and tool rooms, one boy in each class is given the title of foreman. This boy helps the teacher maintain order, insures that all safety precautions are strictly adhered to and that the working areas are properly cleaned. The shiny waxed hardwood floors in the cottages are original. Their maintenance is again due to the conscientious efforts of the Glenwood boys.

Earn Own Allowance
The older boys are given various jobs in the dining hall or on the grounds by which they can earn their spending money for the weekends. The seven through 13 year olds are given a small allowance.

On Saturdays and Sundays, the boys may obtain passes but surprisingly few of the boys take advantage of this chance to get away for a while. Sidney Rauch, an 18 year old Chicago youth, voiced his reason for staying at the school by saying, "There is very little I can do in town that I can't do here. We have a heated swimming pool, a library, television in the cottages, and a gymnasium with just about any equipment I might want to use. I have enough money to date occasionally but not every weekend. There isn't a great deal else I need."

John Kennedy, age 13, and an



Cleaning and polishing their horns for the annual Flag Day ceremony are students Leonard Lewis and Emil Van Rossum.

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The grounds at the Glenwood school lend an atmosphere of a college campus. Boys attend worship services in the above chapel every Sunday.

Bulldog Strickmen Split With Morton; Test St. Joseph Next

Thornton's baseball squad will carry a 1-1 slate into tomorrow's contest against St. Joseph's College of Rensselaer, Indiana. The double-header will start at 1 p.m.

Coach John Carlson frowned his way through TJC's split of last Saturday's double-header with Morton, but it wasn't all that bad. His charges dropped the first one 7-5, but were victorious in the second 5-1.

Pitching problems plagued the Bulldogs in the opener. Sophomore Doug Terandy started and held Morton to two runs despite his first-game wildness.

The Bulldogs jumped on Morton starter Ed Gichy as soon as they got their turn to bat in the first inning. Frank Ganser doubled down the line in left and, after John Hoes popped up trying to bunt, Gichy walked the next three men. A wild pitch and an infield out scored two runs before Neil Franklin snatched a soft line to center for a triple and the Bulldogs had two more runs.

Terandy left the mound after the fourth inning and Oliver Carter took to the rubber for the first mound appearance in his life. Carter showed a good fastball, but Morton got five more runs all charged to him, before he left the game in the sixth with a popped elbow. Andy Scianna finished up the

game on the mound, but Thornton pushed across only one more run due to Scianna's triple and a passed ball in the seventh.

Coach Carlson couldn't frown about the performance of Jerry Rehr in the second contest. Jerry "Rehr-ed" back and fired the ball from the mound and Thornton won 5-1 in six innings.

To the delight of the Thornton fans, the "meat" part of the Bulldogs line-up exploded for six of Thornton's seven hits. John Hoes, Andy Scianna, Don Olsen, and Frank Ganser batted 2, 3, 4, and 5 for the Bulldogs and accounted for all the team's runs.

All the scoring for Thornton took place in the fourth and fifth innings. In the fourth, Olsen tripled to left before Ganser tripled down the left field line. Two outs later Glen Van Haren singled and Ganser's triple hit to right side of the infield before Scianna lined a hit to left. Both men scored on another triple by Olsen and Ganser's single brought in Olsen.

The absence of hurler Dan Fox was apparent in the double-header as Terandy and Rehr showed the only dependability. Fox is suffering from an infection, but may be ready for tomorrow's action.

JC Thinclads Finish Second In Triangular

The thinclads of Thornton Junior College finished second in a triangular meet with Joliet and Wilson last Friday afternoon. Host Joliet won the meet with 71 points while Thornton tallied 38 and Wilson collected 30.

Thornton posted two firsts in the victory as freshman Don Masterson won the mile run in 5:04 and sophomore Lynn Aubrecht captured the broad jump event at 18'11".

Aubrecht also gathered a pair of third places in the 100-yard and 220-yard dashes. Other Thornton finishers figuring into the team score included Dan Masterson, who finished second in the 440-yard run; Dan Desmond, with a third in the 100-yard dash; Rich Halbert, with a runner-up spot in the 120-yard high hurdles and a third place in the 180-yard low hurdles and Dave Kolton with a third place in the shotput and fourth in the discus.

The Bulldogs travel to the University of Chicago for another meet with Joliet and Wilson next Wednesday, April 22, at 4 p.m.



Dan Fox

It is difficult to compose a story about a junior college athlete still be objective; this is especially true if the story is about some you feel is deserving of the most glorified phrases in your vocabulary. This is true in the case of Danny Fox.

Danny is an athlete in every sense of the word; few would consider him a star in most of the sports in which he participates. In football he was the starting quarterback last season, but his accomplishments weren't spectacular. In basketball he was one of the lowest men on the totem pole. He didn't even make the tournament squad.



Dan Fox

In baseball this spring Dan should be one of the mainstays of the team. Baseball is the sport in which he probably performs the best, but what makes this fellow go for three different sports when he is proficient in only one?

There is something in Danny Fox that is in few athletes. Danny loves sports; loves competition, and actually loves trying. No one has more respect for Danny than his basketball coach, Don Williams. We all sympathized with Mr. Williams when Fox had to be told about not making the tournament squad. Coach Williams said it was one of the hardest things he's ever had to do. Yet, when Fox was cut from the tournament squad, he stayed out for practice as he had been doing all season. The elements of determination and athletic pride

Three Elected to Board of Education

Mrs. Robert Pembworth, 14115 Washington, Riverdale; Mr. Herbert Greiner, 15023 Ashland, Harvey; and Mr. James T. Osmet, 801 E. Cherry, Thornton, were elected to three year terms on the Board of Education of Thornton Township high schools and junior college District 205, Saturday, April 11.

Mrs. Pembworth has stated that she hopes to promote the development of a quality junior college system for our district. Mr. Greiner has served on the school board for nine years and is also very active in Kiwanis. At present he is on the board of directors of the Harvey Memorial YMCA. Mr. Osmet has stressed adjusting our educational system to allow each student to develop his abilities to the highest degree.

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Polish Panthers Take Lead In Intramural Cage League

The Polish Panthers, fresh from a win over a Bloom JC intramural team last Saturday night, warded off their stiffest opponents in TJC's intramural league by beating the Shockers, 48-38, last Wednesday night.

In other action Wednesday night, the Bombers beat Sears and Co., 76-38, and the Pee Wees beat the Wetretters 36-22.

Dennis Lilligan led all scorers for the Shockers with six baskets.

Tournament play starts next week from next Wednesday when the top four teams in the standings start a Round-Robin tourney.

Senate Sets Date For Boulderino

Student Senate members set Friday, May 8, as the date for the 1963-64 Boulderino at the Student Senate meeting Thursday, April 14. Sophomores Dan Fox and Dennis Johnson were named chairmen in charge of the Boulderino and the dance that will be held the night of the Boulderino.

Cars carrying students to the woods will leave Thornton Junior College at 4:00 p.m. and will return after the turn-of-war is over and refreshments have been served. Appropriate dress for the dance, to be held in the small gym from 8 to 11 p.m. on the same evening, will be shorts and slacks. The Student Senate urges all drivers to decorate their cars with banners and signs.

At the meeting the Senate also appropriated \$250 to the Lettermen's Club to buy jackets for the sophomore members and for general use.

Intramural League Standings

Teams	W	L
Polish Panthers	5	0
Shockers	5	1
Scramblers	3	2
Bombers	3	2
Sears	1	4
Wetretters	1	5
Pee Wees	2	5

Business Club Calls Guest Night Success

The Business Administration Club's first Guest Speaker Night on March 23 was very successful.

The four guest speakers were Arthur E. Christian of Arthur E. Christian Accounting & Taxes; Jesse R. Black, head cashier and treasurer of the First National Bank in Harvey; Henry Koopman, assistant Comptroller at Wyman-Gordon Manufacturing; and Francis Stevens, assistant Comptroller of Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing.

The evening opened with each of the speakers giving a five to ten minute explanation of their specific duties in their respective companies. The audience then directed question to the speakers. This question and answer period lasted for approximately an hour with nearly every person in the audience participating.

Letters have been received from the speakers stating that they were glad for having been asked to speak. The gentlemen further said the evening was a success mainly due to the great amount of interest the audience had in the fields of business discussed.

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Vern Ryan Named JuCo All-American

Vern Ryan, Thornton Junior College's star hard-court ace, was named to an All-American honorable mention award in basketball by the coaches of the National Junior College Basketball Association.

A sophomore, Ryan scored a total of 763 points this year for an average of 18.3 points per game. This is the second consecutive year Ryan has been honored through an All-American award.

Harvey YMCA Offers Ballroom Dance Course

An eight week course in ballroom dancing is being offered at the Harvey Memorial YMCA. Professional dance instructor, Miss Eleanor Frigo, is in charge of the classes which meet Thursday evenings, beginning at 7:30. An advanced course will be held at 8:30 p.m.

Fundamentals of the basic dances will be covered in the beginning classes. Advanced students will concentrate on perfecting old steps and mastering new ones.

Anyone interested in registration or more information should call the "Y" at ED 1-6500 or WA 8-8387.

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Boulderino—Frosh Challenge Sophs



Thornton JC sophomores are tuning up for the annual Boulderino tug-of-war. The sophs are expecting an easy victory in the mud creek warfare. How is it, frosh?

Cars Will Leave Annexes at 4 For Mud Creek

Decorated cars carrying junior college student to Boulderino, the annual tug-of-war between frosh and soph JC men, will leave the TJC annexes at 4 p.m., Friday, May 8, for Jurgenson's Woods; the battle will be waged across a mostly mud "creek."

The Student Senate, sponsor of the annual event, will provide soft drinks, but students are asked to bring their own lunches. Throwing faculty members and spectators into the melee is strictly forbidden.

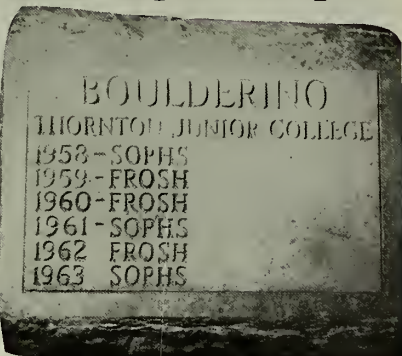
Music for the dance, to be held from 8 to 11 p.m. in the small girls' gym, will be provided by Ken Bailey and the Roadrunners. Refreshments will be served, and appropriate dress is shorts and slacks.

The 1964 Boulderino, seventh in Thornton Junior College's history, is part of a short but colorful tradition.

JC students took the first Boulderino rock from the forest preserve on April 29, 1958. Between then and May 9, 1958, the date of the first Boulderino, Thornton High School students acquired a boulder of their own. In protest JC men buried it and declared Boulderino strictly a junior college event. Finally, high school students dragged the JC boulder into the middle of Broadway and proceeded to chisel it to pieces. Before they could finish, JC students stopped them and moved what was left of the rock between the annexes where it was locked behind the fence for safekeeping. Today's Boulderino is the sole survivor of that incident.

Freshmen won the Boulderino in 1959, 1960, 1962; sophomores in 1958, 1961, and 1963. The class name of this year's winner and the year will be engraved on the Boulderino tombstone in the Union Room.

Boulderino has been called Boulderama, Bouldergras, Bouldergras, and Boulderino. In every case the synonyms for these have been mud and fun.



Hark ye students of TJC,
Prepare yourselves for the worst.
May Eighth is drawing near,
The date of the Boulderino Curse.
"What is Curse of Boulderino?"
Yan ignorant freshman ponder.
('Tis the date for fun and frolic
Of the ghost of Muddy Waters.)
"And who is this Muddy Waters?"
Every ignorant freshman queries.
('Tis the spirit of getting sopped
And making teachers wary.)

Frosh on one side,
Soph on the other.
Muddy Waters beneath the rope,
Waiting for the loser.
Tug, tug ye hardies,
Pull with all your might.
Your class must win this war
Or be dragged into the blight.
So come all ye hardy males,
Be ye frosh or sophomores.
Try your luck, try your skill
At conquering Muddy Waters.

Effie Oliver Receives PTA Award for Next School Year

Miss Effie Oliver, 15441 South Sixth Avenue, Phoenix, Illinois, and a Thornton Junior College sophomore



Effie Oliver

Holland, and scholarship chairman for the TTHS-TJC Parent-Teacher Association, said, "This two-hundred dollar scholarship award to Miss Oliver is made possible from

the proceeds of the Thornton Junior College annual Christmas Concert given each December. Without the help of the TJC concert Choir and the cooperation of those area residents who attend, this scholarship award would be financially impossible."

The award, given in grants of one hundred dollars for each of two semesters, is renewable for the second one hundred dollars only if grades are maintained.

Miss Oliver has made plans to finish her education in nursing, and she has already been accepted by the University of Illinois, College of Nursing.

Alternate for this scholarship is Miss Nancy Pavlak, 17 East 140 Court, Riverdale, Illinois.

JC Announces Its Schedule for Summer

Mr. Clifton Satterthwaite, head of the Thornton Junior College Summer School, has announced the schedule of classes for this summer. Classes will begin on Wednesday, May 17, and will run through Saturday, August 1.

Mr. Satterthwaite stated that, 33 classes will be available to students. However, summer school status is limited to six semesters of credit unless special permission is granted.

is \$5.00 per semester hour for residents of District 205, and \$15 for those outside the district. This fee must be paid at the time of registration, Monday and Tuesday, June 15 and 16, from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. in room 318.

A complete listing of the courses to be offered follows:

Accounting 101, Accounting 102, Business 108, Typewriting 101, 102, 201, and 202; Economics 201 and Economics 202; English 101, 102, 103, and 104; Speech 108 and 109; History 109, 110, 203 and 204; Political Science 101 and 102; Psychology 201 and 202; Education 201 and 202; Mathematics 101, 102 and 103; Chemistry 101 and 102; Botany 103; Zoology 101 and Hygiene 203.

Mother-Son Banquet Will Feature Hypnotist

Edward L. Baron, noted hypnotist, will be the main speaker at the annual Men's Club Mother-Son banquet May 11.

Held at Surma's Restaurant in Homewood, the affair will cost Thornton Junior College men and their mothers \$3.50 for a dinner of roast beef and chicken. Starting time is 6:30 p.m.

Prom Plans Set

As this issue of the "Courier" goes to press, Karen Callanan and Tom Girard, Prom chairman, say that plans are going along nicely, and everything should be well prepared for the Prom, June 6.

This year's theme is "Wine and Roses." Parties will be held at the Edgewater Beach Hotel in Chicago. Music will be provided by Peter Palmer's 12-piece orchestra and his four singers.

Tickets go on sale May 18 for \$2.50 per couple.

Karen said, "The kids better get their tickets as soon as they can because we only have 200."



Co-ed Club officers for the 1964-65 school year are pictured above. Seated left to right are Evelyn Thompson, treasurer and Carolyn Leick, president. Standing are Sandi Nelson, secretary and Charlene Trotta, vice-president.

In the March 20 issue of the *Courier* a request was made for students who had books which were not being used to contribute them to the Indiana State Prison Library. Handling charges and shipping were to be taken care of by the *Courier*.

The student body, we are sorry to say, demonstrated an apathetic attitude toward the drive; only two students, Doug Smith and Charles Moser, responded. We want to take this opportunity to applaud them for their contributions and at the same time express our disdain for those who could have contributed but who did not.

what some have built; others have torn down

There will be those who will sneeringly say that they don't owe anything to this school, to the *Courier*, or to anyone else. This editorial is directed at those students. They are the ones who can be heard boasting the loudest when the athletes bring home the trophies and spend the rest of their time declaring that athletics should be eliminated from the TJC program. They are the ones who can be heard crying that going to TJC isn't like going to a real college; they are the same students who damn the instructors and administration while they, through their apathy, are destroying everything the faculty, the administration, and other students have worked so hard to build.

May, originally the third month of the Roman calendar, became the fifth month in the revised calendar. May was considered an unlucky month for marriage because the festival of the unhappy dead and the festival of the goddess of chastity were celebrated during May.

One of the most famous and widely celebrated customs of May was the dance around the May-pole, an ancient phallic symbol. This custom was abhorred by our Puritan forefathers who recognized its pagan symbolism. Students of folk custom have traced the May Day celebration back to the Floralia of the Romans, the festival in honor of Flora, the goddess of flowers. Flora is identified with the Greek goddess Chloris and the fertility festivals of India and Egypt.

Several schools in this country observe various practices which can be directly traced back to the earlier pagan celebrations. These observances have lost all the ritualistic and symbolic character of their old world origins.

The Puritans of New England objected to the May pole festivities, but before they made their objections effective, Governor Endicott of Massachusetts, in 1660, led a company of men to Merrymont where a pole had been erected, and chopped it down; he named the place Mount Dagon after the idol of the Philistines who fell before the ark.

pagan May is no time for marriage

The observance of May Day in England was gradually abandoned, but in recent years it has been revived. In 1644 Parliament forbade the erection of May poles. This prohibition was repealed after the restoration. In 1661, in celebration of the revival of the old customs, a May pole 135 feet high was set up in London. It remained until 1717; at this time it was purchased by Sir Isaac Newton and removed to Essex as a support for his great telescope.

A modern May Day observance has grown up in the United States which is an echo from Europe of the American Labor Day celebration. When Labor Day was established here, the working men of Europe thought they ought to have a similar celebration; they fixed May 1 as the date. In Europe, labor was engaged in politics and the day became a time for political demonstrations. In the course of the years it was utilized by the extreme radicals for demonstrations against the government. In some cities, notably New York, the demonstration takes the form of a parade of radical organizations followed by mass meetings.

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CampusScene

By Tom Girard

A recent poll at the University of Massachusetts revealed that most undergraduate students would be unwilling to attend classes on a year-round basis. Of the 1600 questioned, 1143 said they did not like the idea, while 334 approved.

I feel that any program for year-round school attendance should be purely voluntary. Many of the country's universities offer students a chance to complete college in less than the usual four years. The selection of this kind of program is, and properly should be, a matter of personal preference.

St. Procopius College in Lisle, Illinois has been awarded a \$8000 grant by the Educational Facilities Laboratories, Inc., to study the problems of the commuting student on a small campus. College officials are investigating the possibility of providing a building which would contain small rooms. These would be much the same as regular dormitory rooms, except there would be no sleeping facilities. The purpose of the plan is to create a "sense of belonging" for those students who do not reside on campus. Everything except a sack!

Mervin B. Freedman of Stanford University's Institute for the Study of Human Problems, recently said that colleges need to restore a sense of joy in life and learning. He stated, "the college years are characterized less and less by education in the classic sense and more and more by sheer hard work and stress." Mr. Freedman feels a student should have time to reflect on his courses instead of laboriously grinding away at them. These statements make a lot of sense and deserve some thought. Any comments?

Looking for something different to do this weekend? Check out "Panorama" in Saturday's Chicago Daily News. This weekly magazine offers a comprehensive view of activities throughout the Chicago-land area. Many of the events are presented by area colleges and universities. "Panorama" also highlights some of Chicago's top night spots. Maybe you can find one appropriate for June 6.

Lambda Epsilon Holds Banquet

The annual Lambda Epsilon dinner will be held on Friday, May 15, according to Mr. Paul Godwin, Lambda Epsilon sponsor.

Dr. Minna Jewell, who initiated the honor society at Thornton Junior College in 1939, is expected to be present for the occasion. For the past few years, she has been the head of a girls' school in Santiago, Chile. She is now living in Tallahassee, Florida.

New members will be initiated at the ceremony, while former members will receive their keys.

The club's officers will read the Lambda Epsilon code and motto.

The dinner begins at 8 p.m. in the cafeteria.

Arnie Zweifel Is Named Pres Pro-Tem of Circle K

Arnold Zweifel, a freshman from Harvey, has been appointed president pro-tem of the Circle K Club of Thornton Junior College. Arnold was selected by the Circle K officers and board members and will serve as head of the club until an election can be held next fall.

Neal Franklin, sophomore from Dolton and the present president, announced that a temporary president has been chosen because of the limited number of qualified freshmen members. He stated that the officers and board members felt that it would be better to elect a permanent president next year when more members are qualified.

Conrad VanZeebroeck, freshman from Dolton, was appointed assistant to Zweifel.

Foreign Students Discover Life at TJC Is Challenging

The word "foreign study" implies adventure and opportunity. Paul Cavadias, from Greece, and Colombian Carlos Venegas, freshmen at Thornton Junior College, are discovering just how exciting it can be.

But excitement is coupled with difficulty in communication. Carlos still has some difficulty speaking English and understanding what is said. But, as he says, he no longer "talks like a book" as he did when he first arrived about six months ago. He took a course in English at Homewood-Flossmoor High School last semester to improve his use of grammatical forms, idioms, and his pronunciation. Paul, who has worked in Canada and attended the Central Y.M.C.A. College in Chicago last year, has very little trouble speaking or understanding now; it was hard at first, he says.

Attended Government Schools Before coming to America to study, both Paul and Carlos attended government controlled, European oriented school systems in their countries. Under this system a child attends elementary school between the ages of six and twelve to master the basic fundamentals. Those who are able to pass the entrance examinations, and wish to go on to high school, must then enter a

High school curricula and grading systems are uniform throughout the country. Each student must take prescribed courses during the five years. There are no elective subjects. No extra-curricular activities, where students can put their knowledge into practical use and learn of the vocational opportunities open to them, are offered. The system is rigid and demanding.

By the time he has finished high school, a student has had six years of math, including calculus, both

foreign schools. After they finish their degrees many return, as Carlos probably will, to strengthen their nations, economically and industrially.

Columbian Students Go Abroad

Carlos pointed out in particular that more students from Colombia abroad to study in France, many, and Spain than come to United States, mainly because it is so much more expensive and is difficult to gain entrance. Scholarships to other countries are easily obtained by Colombian youth. The Russians will send any Colombian youth who supports Communist doctrines to school for not anywhere behind the Iron Curtain he wishes to study.

Communist Party Not Strong

The Communist Party in Greece is active but not very strong. He feels that this is because officials like himself, who have grown through civil war, have seen Communists in action and did not like what they saw. Recent elections in that country saw only one per cent of the governmental positions going to Communists. Paul has also remarked that very few students from Greece study in large Communist countries because of the animosity between these countries and Greece.

In Columbia, where the Communist party has just received a great victory, their influence is far reaching. They seem to have made the youth of the nation their prime target. Carlos has just recently been contacted by a friend of his in Columbia.



Thornton Junior College welcomed two students from foreign lands last fall. Paul Cavadias and Carlos Venegas, both freshmen, have found so much life in the United States quite different from their homelands.

national and world history, a foreign language, an intensive study of his own language, six years of the study of governmental systems, speech, and some art and music.

Some Repetition Here Carlos indicated that his chemistry course in qualitative analysis is identical to the one he studied in high school. He also studied zoology, botany, anatomy, and physics. Paul pointed out that the University of Toronto will not accept an American student right after graduation from high school but will accept a Greek student. The training in both countries is intense and disciplined.

Paul is enrolled in a civil engineering course at TJC, and Carlos plans to become a chemical engineer. In the future both may return to their respective countries and put their education to practical use establishing badly needed improvements. Paul's main concern will be bridge and road construction, sanitation system planning, etc. Carlos hopes to work in the petroleum labs, a vital part of his country's oil industry. According to Paul and Carlos, many students from their countries continue their education in

that the Communist student caused a great deal of trouble the students elections. The nations were held to select the cers of a student organization which works for better schools and more schools throughout the country.

Loss of Kennedy

Both Carlos and Paul view the death of President Kennedy as a great tragedy. Kennedy was very popular in both Greece and Columbia. The Greek people held a week of mourning after President Kennedy's death to honor his memory.

Carlos explained that the once for Progress projects Kennedy initiated in Colombia were badly needed. The dead President was especially for his country's education. The City Kennedy's tremendous living project being erected for poor people has been stopped, has been cut and the fund complex is lacking.

Every student at Thornton Junior College is part of this experience in American life that is a vital part of the lives of Carlos Venegas and Paul Cavadias, dents international.

Panel Lists Do's and Don'ts of Wardrobe for Collegiates

With many male students from TJC planning to attend a school away from home next year, one of the topics of discussion is the wardrobe they will need for a well rounded wardrobe.

Recently, a group of representatives from American colleges discussed the styles, colors, fabrics, and fibers from a selection of leading fashion designers at a conference sponsored by the Du Pont Company; they later gave their opinions concerning the latest styles in suits, slacks, sweaters, shirts, sport coats, raincoats, and shoes.

Wardrobe Essentials Named
Representatives agreed that a wardrobe should include such items as an olive brown raincoat, a navy or black blazer and one oxford button-down shirt. A pair of plain cordovan blazers, olive poplin slacks, a new oxford suit without a vest, and several rugby shirts.

College men are usually willing to take a chance, but they are not going to buy oxford button-down shirts. The trend in shirts this year will be to more colors and stripes.

Traditional crew neck and carigan sweaters in such colors as navy, oxford, light green, and heather-toned combinations will again head the list of favorites. V-necks with a turn-back collar underneath, and sweaters with metal buttons were given the "heave-ho" by conference participants.

Continental Styles Discarded
Grey and olive seem to be the most popular colors in slacks. Several styles of tailored slacks are recommended; the most important materials are medium to dark grey or worsted. Chose unbuttoned, plain-front tailored models with straight pockets and belt loops. Corduroy casual slacks seem to be on the way out. Save the year's chinos; they're on the way back. If you're buying a few more pairs, pass by the continental styles which the panelists labeled high school styling.

Ski parkas are a must even if they never been near a ski resort. Dark green, blue, black,

wine, and brown are still the most popular colors. Footwear will remain practically the same with plain blucher models and penny-moc slip-ons heading the list.

Sharkskin Suits "In"

According to the college panel, most college men have at least three suits. If you're buying a new suit, choose sharkskin. Although tweed and vested suits were not ruled out, panelists discouraged all but dyed-in-the-wool Ivy League suits from buying them. School crests on the pockets of blazers and side vents were classified "square." Sport jacket fabrics, herringbones and hopsacking, are "in" and the fall patterns will not include giant overplaids or inch-wide sharp stripings.

Finally, a raincoat with a tailored "topcoat look," is a must. Above-the-knee length is the accepted standard, with bulky linings definitely out.

Good grooming and proper dress were mentioned more often as guidelines to follow when planning a campus wardrobe than styling details at the Du Pont Fashion Conference.

Business Administration Club Hosts Its Second Guest Speaker Monday

The Business Administration Club of Thornton Junior College will have the second of its current series of Guest Speaker Nights on Monday, May 11, at 7:30 p.m. in room 338.

Guest speaker will be Mr. Reese Pair, President of the Automation Institute. The institute consists of 52 schools across the nation which train men and women in the use of computers and other electronic data processing machines. Mr. Pair will speak on automation in business. The history and future of data processing, along with the latest techniques and machines available will be discussed. The operation and programming of data processing equipment and computer uses in the various fields of business will also be discussed. A question and answer session will follow the talk.

All students, both day and night school, and the faculty are cordially invited to attend.

Five From TJC Attend Convention

Five representatives of Thornton Junior College attended the 19th annual National Conference on Higher Education at the Pick-Congress Hotel in Chicago from April 19 to April 22.

Mr. Henry Vandenberg, President of the District 205 Board of Education; Dr. James D. Logsdon, superintendent of District 205; Mr. Lee Dulgar, dean of TJC; Mr. Byron Kee, dean of men at TJC; and Miss Adelaide Childs, TJC's dean of women, were among 1500 of the top American educators at the convention.

Theme for the convention centered around undergraduate education.



Members of the Stagette Court look on as Nancy Garrison is crowned TJC Sweetheart at the Stagette Dance held on Saturday, April 18, at the Shoreland Hotel. From left to right (seated) are Mary Fitzgerald, Joy Fischer, Marilyn Lau, and Gail Dunker. Standing are Jean LaRue, Isla Reichenhofer, Cynthia Poli, last year's Sweetheart; Nancy Garrison, Sweetheart; Mary Ellen Hancy, Maid-of-Honor; Carolyn Leick, and Kathy Hagen.



From The Press Box

By Mike Jerding

With major league baseball speeding into its second month, I'm going to get into the act of predicting October's outcome. I can't get much worse than my prediction that the Yankees would take the Dodgers in six games in the 1963 World Series, so here goes nothing.

Let's start with the American League, mainly because of alphabetical order, and a say that the New York Yankees are going to stay in that rut of winning pennants. The Yanks aren't that good anymore, but the rest of the league isn't any better. I see a scramble for second place between Chicago, Detroit, and Minnesota with the White Sox making use of another good pitching staff to stay alive in the race. Minnesota could surprise a lot of people if the Twins' fielding improves at all. The rest of the league will be put together like a jig-saw puzzle, the teams will just fit into place.

The only safe thing I can say about the National League is that the Mets and the Colts will not win the pennant. The St. Louis Cardinals should, though, with the

most solid ball club in the league. They have the fielding the Dodgers lack and, although the Dodgers have Sandy Koufax and Co., the Cardinals have much more action at the plate to blend with a more than adequate pitching staff. Watch the Reds this year along with the Cubs; they're both going to surprise. The Philadelphia Phillies have a third base problem solved and the pitching looks good enough to give the Phillies a chance at first division.

This is how I think they'll finish in October:

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With finals coming up in a month and search papers due, Janet Cassman finds 24 of her time being spent studying the library. Jan, a freshman from Midland, plans to attend Northern Illinois University at DeKalb next year. Enrolled in the Liberal Arts curriculum, Jan has definite plans for after graduation.

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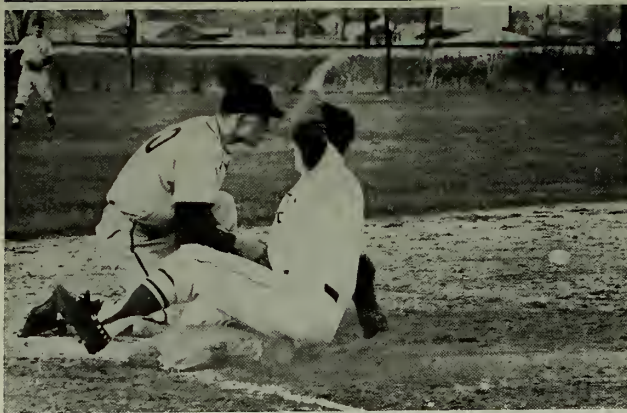
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Frank Ganser slides safely into third base against Elgin. The Elgin pitcher was guilty of an error and the error cost

Elgin one of the runs Thornton scored in the 9-2 conquest. The victory is the only win for TJC in league play.

Erring Bulldogs Drop Two Of Their Games in IJCC

If and when the Bulldogs of the mound for his first appearance, Thornton Junior College get together on the baseball diamond and outfield, which Thornton outfielder as a team, there's no telling how far TJC is going to go this year. It's the act of getting together, though, that is responsible for the Bulldogs' 2-3 record.

In Thornton's loss to Wright April 25, the Bulldogs displayed errors that caused them to lose 7-1. Bulldog inning. Thornton R.

Jerry Rehr was the losing pitcher for Thornton although he hurled ably. Wright jumped on him for five runs in the fifth inning on only two hits; but the Thornton infield committed three errors.

TJC traveled to Berwyn to play on second who flipped it to Olf Morton April 24 and the story was Carter on first completed the ball much the same. With Dan Fox on

back and let the other team make the mistakes. Three Elgin misplays played a major role in a seven-run Elgin victory. Thornton R. TJC beat Elgin 9-2 when it couldn't do much wrong that as the Bulldogs pulled a triple play in the fifth inning of that game. With two on and nobody out, Lofende stabbed a hard hit drive and a relay to Frank Ganser on second who flipped it to Olf Carter on first completed the ball much the same. With Dan Fox on

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Tennis Team Wins Three After Dropping Debut

After dropping their first meet to Wright, the Thornton tennis squad has pounded out three straight victories.

Elgin, Joliet, and Wilson have fallen before Thornton's steam roller, and there is talk of Thornton's first entry to the national tournament in tennis.

Freshman Ed Adams has been the mainstay of the squad as the number one man in singles competition. Adams hasn't lost a set since he lost a match to Wright.

Sam Belmonti and Ralph Niemann combine for an effective doubles combination. Although they didn't play against Elgin, the doubles team hasn't lost.

Clothing Drive Will Begin Next Week

Diane Baer, chairman of the Coed Club's clothing drive, has announced the drive will be held the first week in May.

Clothing which is received will be sent to the club's foster child, Evelyn C. Licuna, and her sister and brother in the Philippine Islands. Sizes for a six, seven, and eleven are needed the most.

A box will be placed in the hallway near the Co-ed Room.

Diane said, "Let's help this family and have a successful clothing drive."

This is the first year the drive is open to all students at TJC.

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Friday, May 15, 1964

TJC Prom "Wine & Roses" Is June 6 Commencement Exercises Will Be June 9

Sophomores will bid farewell to Thornton Junior College at the annual Commencement exercises Friday, June 9, at the Thornton High School auditorium, 9th Blvd. and Cottage Grove Ave., Dolton.

Featured speaker for the evening will be Dr. George L. Hall, pastor of the Midwest Communication Leadership Program at a former junior college.

Rev. Thomas J. Brody, pastor of St. Clement's Episcopal Church in Harvey will give the invocation.

This year's graduating class will be presented by Dean E. Dulgar to Mr. Henry Vandenbergh, president of the Board of Education for school district No. 205. Mr. Vandenbergh and Dr. E. D. Logsdon, superintendent of Thornton and Thornridge high schools and Thornton Junior College.

The Thornton Junior College choir, under the direction of Mr. Kent Newbury, will present musical interlude accompanied by the junior college orchestra.

Reception for graduates and their families will be held in the Thornridge Student Lounge.

Prospective graduates will receive for the commencement exercises on Monday, June 8, at 7:30 p.m. in the Thornridge auditorium.

Twice yearly a scourge besets the students at TJC. This blight comes in the form of semester exams. This semester the necessary evils will be given from May 19 through June 1. Facts relating to the occasion follow:

THORNTON JUNIOR COLLEGE Examination Schedule - Spring Semester 1964

Friday, May 29th		Wednesday, June 3rd	
8:00 a.m.	Cafeteria	8:00 a.m.	Annex B
English 101, 102	Annex B	Botany 203	Annex C
Psychology 202	Annex B	Typing 201, 202	Annex C
9:15 a.m.	240	10:15 a.m.	Annex C
Accounting 202	240	Geology 102	Annex C
10:00 p.m.	230-B	Zoology 102	Annex C
Physics 204	T-127	Sociology 102	Annex B
Engineering 102	Annex B	1:00 p.m.	Annex C
1:15 p.m.	Annex B	Bus. Law 101, 102	Annex C
History 202, 204	Annex B	English 104	C-1, C-6, 310, 311
Monday, June 1st		3:15 p.m.	Cafeteria
8:00 a.m.	Cafeteria	Hygiene 201	Cafeteria
Chemistry 101, 105, 202	Annex B	First Aid 205	Cafeteria
English 205	Annex B	Thursday, June 4th	
Spanish 104	Annex B	8:00 a.m.	Annex B
9:15 a.m.	Annex B	Typing 102	Annex B
Pol. Sc. 102	Annex B	Art 102, 103, 104, 202	Annex B
Math 202, 203	Annex B	Music 122	Annex B
10:00 p.m.	Annex B	10:15 a.m.	Annex B
Math 101, 205	Annex B	Accounting 101	Annex B
English 201	Annex B	Journalism 106	Annex B
English 203	Annex B	1:00 p.m.	Annex B
Economics 202	Annex B	Education 202	Annex B
German 102	Annex B	Geography 102	Annex B
Tuesday, June 2nd		3:15 p.m.	Annex B
8:00 a.m.	Annex B	History 102	Annex B
Speech (all)	Annex B	German 104	Annex B
9:15 a.m.	Annex B	Friday, June 5th	
Math 105	Annex B	8:00 a.m.	Annex B
Engineering 103	Annex B	Music 112	Annex B
Business 106	Annex B	Oramics 156	Annex B
10:00 p.m.	Annex B	10:15 a.m.	Annex B
Physics 202	Annex B	Accounting 102	Annex B
Economics 104	Annex B	Art 106	Annex B
1:15 p.m.	Annex B	1:00 p.m.	Annex B
Typing 101	Annex B	Dramatics 152	Annex B
Math 102	Annex B		

Co-ed Luncheon For TJC Women

The annual Co-ed Club spring luncheon, "That Wonderful Year," will be held Saturday, May 16, at King Arthur's Restaurant, 3937 West 147th Street, Midlothian, at 1 p.m.

Next year's Co-ed Club officers will be installed at the luncheon and sorority leaders for next fall will be announced. Sophomore seers will read the class prophecy and bid farewell to their alma-mater.

Senate Holds Banquet

The governing body of Thornton Junior College, the Student Senate, will celebrate the end of the school year with a banquet next Tuesday, May 19, at Poor Richard's in Thornton.

Only student senate members and sponsors will attend. Mrs. Helen Fessler, Mr. Robert Sherman, and Dean Dulgar are sponsors.

Pick-up Caps & Gowns

Caps and gowns for graduation will be distributed Thursday, May 28, in room 318 from 10 a.m. to 12:30.

A rental fee of \$3.50, which includes the tassel, will be required of everyone.

TJC Lambda Epsilon Founder Will Address Annual Banquet

Dr. Minna Jewell, founder of Lambda Epsilon, will be the featured speaker tonight at the honor banquet in the cafeteria at 6:30 p.m.

Dr. Jewell founded the Thornton Junior College chapter of Lambda Epsilon in 1938 and was sponsor of the society until 1960. Since retiring from the Thornton Junior College faculty, she has been director of a girls' school in Santiago, Chile.

Tonight's activities will include initiation of new members. They are: Ruby Cornwall, Linda Jo DeBoer, Paula Jean Ertcheson, John Hopkins, Francis Kelly, Lauren Zetzel, David Perko, and Diane Noote, all freshmen. Sophomores to be initiated are: Allan Knudsen, George Pawlowski, and Dennis Sweeney.

The members who already are members will receive a key, which indicates membership for two semesters. These include: Joy Fessler, Neal Franklin, Alan Haan, Donna Hallett, Mary Ann Johnson, Thomas Nordbrock, Nancy Pavlak, Peter Wasilkoff, Bill Zimmerman, Mary Zuber, and Robert Bender.

Four sophomores have already received their key and have been

TJC Caldron Will Be Distributed May 25

The 1964 Caldron Yearbook will be distributed to all Thornton Junior College students on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, May 25-27, in the Courier office.

The largest yearbook in TJC's history, this year's school round-up will include a four-color picture, more pictures than ever before as well as the school's mascot — the Bulldog.

Freshmen and sophomores who have been enrolled at TJC for the fall and spring semesters may pick up their yearbook at no cost. Part of the activity fee paid before each term goes to the publication of the yearbook.

Students who have only been at TJC for one semester may obtain a book for \$2.00.

Students are requested to pick up only their own yearbook. No more than one book will be distributed to any student unless permission is received from the Caldron adviser, Mr. Roy Swanberg.

TJC Geologists Go On Field Trip To The Dunes

The Geology 102 and 105 field trip to the Indiana Dunes this Sunday will offer a chance for students and faculty members to have an enjoyable picnic and learn something besides.

Mr. Martin K. Baker, geology instructor at Thornton JC, will lead the excursion which will include a two-hour lecture describing the geology and ecology of the dunes area.

A car caravan will form in front of annex C at 8 a.m. and will proceed to the dunes from there.

the officers of the honor society for the past year. They are: Pat McCauley, president; Tom Girard, vice-president; Jean Malkowski, secretary; and Dennis Erickson, treasurer. The officers will conduct the initiation ceremony for the incoming members.

Membership in Lambda Epsilon is earned on the basis of scholastic achievement. A student must earn 58 honor points his first semester or average 53 honor points for two or more semesters.



"Ice water, give me ice water!" screams sophomore Jim Massick at Monday's Mother-Son Banquet sponsored by the Men's Club. No, Massick wasn't being rude, but was under a hypnotic trance. More photos of the strange phenomena can be found on page 3 of today's Courier.



Next year's Men's Club officers were announced at the Mother-Son banquet Monday night. Ed Adams, a freshman of Riverdale, was elected president while Gary Michor, a freshman of Harvey, was elected vice-president. Wayne Marley, this year's president, congratulates Adams and Michor in photo above. The office of secretary-treasurer for next year is vacant and will be filled during a special election next fall.

The 1964 Thornton Junior College prom, "Wine and Roses," is slated for Saturday, June 6, at the Edgewater Beach Hotel, 5349 Sheridan, from 9 p.m. to midnight.

TJC students and their dates will dance in the beautiful Crystal Ballroom, overlooking the hotel's swimming pool and Lake Shore Drive. An outside terrace, adjacent to the dance floor, will be open during the gala festivities.

Peter Palmer, his twelve piece orchestra and four singers, will provide the musical entertainment. They have played at over 50 university dances throughout the country.

Tickets for the prom go on sale next Monday, May 18, at \$3.00 per couple. They will be available from a student senate member, who will be wearing burgundy wine glasses to show that they have tickets. There will also be a ticket station across from the library. The tickets received must be presented at the door on the night of the prom.

Highlighting the evening will be the Grand March at 10 p.m., led by prom chairmen, Karen Callanan and Tom Girard, and their dates.

Commenting on the prom, Karen said, "This is going to be one of the most elegant proms TJC has ever had."

Honored guests for the occasion are: Dr. James Logsdon, superintendent of school district 205; Dean and Mrs. Lee Dulgar, dean of men, Byron Kee and his wife; Miss Adelaide Childs, dean of women; Mrs. Helen Fessler, head of the English department; Mrs. Florence Waterman, cafeteria supervisor; Mr. J. A. Peterson, business manager, and his wife; and Mr. Harold Doster, building supervisor, and his wife.

Four TJC instructors and their wives will act as chaperones: Mr. and Mrs. Martin Baker; Mr. and Mrs. Milton Gilmore; Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Magruder; and Mr. and Mrs. John Stanfield.

Karen and Tom have several chairmen assisting with the prom preparations. They include Marilyn Lau, publicity; Charlene Trotta, bids; Mary Ann Johnson, chaperones; Gail Dunker, flowers; Lorrie Johnson, and Joyce Ustian, tickets; Nancy Garrison, invitations; Cherie Sauerhiser, room arrangements and Mary Ellen Haney, orchestra.

OUR MAN AT

The Bomber

By Doug Smith

When I was asked to report informally on Bombers, I started retracing the day from the beginning. I left my house. I was dressed in an Hawaiian shirt and white benchmarker pants. I was feeling somewhat in the "swing of things." Unfortunately, I soon found that I had disillusioned myself. I found that just being dressed was not being in the "swing of things" — it was the action that counted.

As I bounced into the Union Room, I heard a fizz and saw Pepsi cola sailing through the air. To my dismay the cola landed on me. Henceless, I sat in the corner and watched. While I was rereading my psychology term paper, I felt a cool stream of water hit my forehead and moistened my term paper. Again unarmed I was caught

off-guard. This time it was a water pistol. Since I was unarmed, I made for the door. Later I was in one of the many cars waiting to begin the trip.

No Police Cars

As I sat in my car, I realized that it was getting later and later. I did not worry; I knew that the last year we would have police officers at every intersection letting us pass unharmed. As we left Annex B, I realized that the officers were not there and that our caravan was being brought by civilian automobiles.

As I approached the woods, for a second, I thought I lost my way. I saw people running around yelling and screaming as if a creature had just emerged from the crevices. A little apprehensive, I was hesi-

tant to let my date out of the car. Seeing nothing menacing, I ventured out and walked towards the area of the top-of-war.

Wipe Out Opponents

As I approached the arena, I saw a cloud burst of clay flying in all directions. It became apparent that the object was to "do-in" all the opponents one could possibly handle in hopes of having fewer warriors in the opposing team. The yelling and screaming was even worse at the arena than in the parking lot. As one sophomore picked up a handful of clay and was about to yell "Gung-ho!", his opponent beat him to the throw. Unfortunately for the sophomore, the clay bullet landed in his mouth; however, he thought he was fortunate — he still had most of his teeth.

But there was an academic side of the scene. One freshman, completely aware of Freud's theory of hard psychology, jumped in the creek and yelled, "Charge!" All his warriors followed him in mass hysteria. Realizing his futile attempt, he brought his warriors back across the creek and returned to throwing clay bullets.

Girls Join The Action

The clay bullets finally stopped sailing through the air. This was not because of a lack of materials, but because of exhaustion. As soon as the men went off to rest, the girls came into the picture. Before they were pleasant, but now, as the moment of combat neared the sophomore girls dove and the freshman girls to cross the creek and be with their dates. As a few timid freshmen girls crossed the creek, getting themselves wet, the warriors were back at the arena.

In order to work up some emotion, the tribe of sophomore's began fighting among themselves. We saw an occasional bullet from the freshmen, the girls joining their men on to combat and the kill. The arena was set; the combatants were ready; one difficulty — no rope. Finally, the rope was located. Because of all the tension and cheering, the warriors forgot the rules.

Sophie Win Battle

The battle was about to begin, but wait — a warrior falls and hurts himself. Forget him! He is hurt! He is good to go now and they leave him for the victors. A few quick pulls and the sophomores won. The battle was over and the glorious warriors made for the water pump where they washed off the blood of victory.

At the water pump the chaos did not subside. A battle persisted. Mud throwing, and shirt slapping were a part of the general scene. I went to my car to get my picnic basket and found that only a few others were doing so. I sat down on my date's blanket wondering why there were not more people having a picnic with me.

As we munched our peanut butter sandwiches, I wondered how college students derive prestige and status from drinking alcohol.

Sign Up for TJC Summer School

Registration for students planning to attend the Thornton Junior College Summer School will be held Monday and Tuesday, June 15 and 16. Classes will begin on Wednesday, June 17 and will run through Saturday, August 1.

Mr. Clifton Satterthwaite, head of the summer school program, stated that 33 courses will be available to students. Students, however, are limited to six semester hours of credit unless special permission is granted.

Tuition for the summer program is \$5.00 per semester hour for residents of District 205, and \$15 for those outside of the district. Registration and fees will be accepted from 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. in room 318.

Interest in Junior Colleges Spurred by National Press

By Tom Renner

With the increasing enrollment of junior colleges throughout the nation, the public is becoming more and more aware of the two institutions through the increasing attention being given by the national press, both in the news columns and editorial pages.

What are junior college people interested in? What do the curriculum have to offer? Are the junior college programs a good stepping stone to the four-year institutions. The public is receiving the answers to these questions and others through the nationwide publicity being given the educational program.

Newsweek in recent editions of Articles, The Chicago Sun Times and Good Housekeeping called the sudden junior college surge in size as well as in stature "Educational's Stepchild Grows Up With A Boom."

In Illinois today one out of every four college students attends a junior college. This growth is more evident in California where three out of every four students participate in the two-year program before advancing to a four-year institution.

The junior college movement began in the Midwest almost 70 years ago.

A federal education commission recently urged a national program of two years of public education beyond high school. The junior college is fulfilling the main educational needs: It offers a wide

Campus Scene

By Tom Girard

The student newspaper at Kansas State University says a recent ban on the use of cigarettes on campus has caused "a marked decrease in boy-girl relationships." The paper goes on to explain the reason is that the girls can't stand the smell of the cigarettes. An editorial in the Daily Collegian states that many girls have given their fellows an ultimatum, "either me or the cigar." I don't know about this situation. But I guess a guy will do anything for a date, even give up a good smoke.

All year long I've been talking about students, teachers, and universities miles from here. However, in this last column, I would like to concentrate on people right here in TJC. On the whole, most everyone I've come in contact with at this school has been great. Some have been better than others. I've met some good friends, and I've met some people I hope I never see again. As far as instructors go, it has been pretty much the same. I think the finest persons in the world; others, though, I think I could have lived without. (Oh! Oh!) I just goofed. You are not supposed to end a sentence with a preposition. It has nothing to cling to. Well, anyway, I'm sure you probably feel much the same way about the people you've met here.

One thing that bothers me about us, the students, at TJC is our constant complaining about going to a junior college. I know. Right now you're thinking "why doesn't he just go off and work on jazz?" I don't see a lot of the reasons for many of the complaints I've heard. The big question to ask is "what did I do over the past year to make JC the way I want it to be?" What this boils down to is that what over-used high school phrase "school spirit." Think a little more about that statement. What if you were a four-year university? Would you want to stay there? Would your school and want to make it a really great place. We could use a little more of that feeling around here.

The outlook for summer jobs isn't good, according to many articles I have seen. It seems those who are growing up and are looking for jobs. Students who work far outnumber the number of positions available. I hope you have your job lined up. I hope you. If not, just ahead for the summer and make like a beachboy.

pleasant surroundings taken for granted

Webster defines success as a favorable result or outcome, the gaining of wealth, fame, rank, etc. Most of us, however, know of someone who has achieved what could be considered a rather high degree of success according to these standards but is neither successful in his own eyes nor in those of the people around him.

This editorial is not intended to moralize on the subject of success, but is intended to lend some measure of moral encouragement to each of us in our striving for success. Everyone has his own idea of what success will be to him and what he must do to obtain it. In this guess it would probably be safe to say that everyone will be faced with many difficult and seemingly insurmountable problems. Most of us will suffer defeats, but simply because a battle is lost doesn't necessarily mean that the war is lost also.

The best baseball team in the world loses from 50 to 60 games a season. Dupont worked 11 years and spent \$27 million before the first pound of nylon was sold. Abraham Lincoln suffered one failure after another was badly defeated in five different elections, but as all of us are aware, he finally became one of the nation's most successful presidents. These are just a few examples of the men who arose from defeat and continued to strive until they reached the top.

Obtaining success is not a simple task. Each of us who has the opportunity to go to college has been given a head start toward reaching that goal. Some of us will be like the hare that sat down under a tree to rest and when he awoke the race was over and he had lost.

Many times you may have heard people say that they were discussing their plans and hopes for the future that they want to find happiness or success. One thing should be made clear to all of us; happiness and success are not objects which can be found as diamonds are. In one sense of the word a lot of digging is involved, however. But basically happiness and success are the by-products of a useful life. It involves not only making hay while the sun is shining, but making it from the grass that grows under people's feet.

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Courier Adviser Leaves for PhD

Mr. John Stanfield, Courier adviser for the last three years, will be taking leave of absence next fall to continue his PhD.

Mr. John Stanfield, Courier adviser and English instructor at Thornton College for the last three years, has been granted leave of absence from his position at the junior college for one year by the Board of Education, effective 1965.

Next year Mr. Stanfield will be working to complete requirements for his doctoral degree at Florida State University at Tallahassee, Florida. During that year Mr. Stanfield will be on an assistant at Florida State working with Wright Burton. After the completion of his year's study, Mr. Stanfield and his wife, Barbara, will return to Thornton Junior College where he finishes his doctoral studies.

Mr. Stanfield finished both undergraduate and graduate degrees at Indiana University, where he taught for one year at the Indiana University High School in Ellettsville, Indiana, and for five years at Isaac C. Elston High School in Michigan City, Indiana.

Teaching at Thornton Junior College has taught him much. He hopes the confidence the Board of Education has expressed in giving him this leave for graduate study will be justified by his increased skills and teaching when he returns. Mr. Stanfield

Choir Presents Concert Sunday

The Thornton Junior College Concert Choir will present their concert, "Music for a Sunday Afternoon," on May 17, at 2 p.m. in the Thornridge high school auditorium. The musical, which is open to the public, will feature nearly 50 voices along with several soloists, small choral groups, and an accordion interlude. Featured soloists will be Lauren Metzger and Esther Mullins with accompanist will be Joy Fick. The Liberty Trio, the Everetts, and the Medallions will also perform. Don Reitsma, accordionist, who was a grand prize winner of the 1958 National Music Competition, will be the musical interlude. Highlight of the program will be "Hymns of the Church of Christ," a musical tribute to New

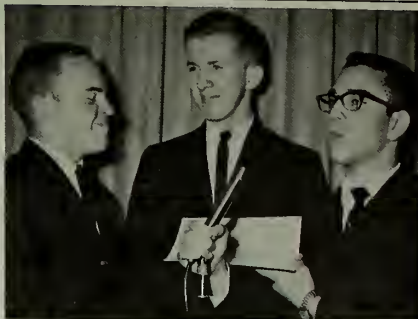
York. It tells of a man's love, affection, and appreciation for his "adopted city." "Manhattan Towers" touches themes that are basic to all Americans... the yearning for companionship and love, the sadness of being alone, and the optimism of the city itself. Dan Plucinski will perform the narration and guest accompanist will be Mrs. Gail Newbury, wife of choir director Kent Newbury. An added feature will be presentation of an original composition, "Psalm 150," written by choir director, Kent A. Newbury. Mr. Newbury also directed the Illinois Bell Telephone Company Chorus as well as two choirs at the Morgan Park Presbyterian Church and four choirs at Thorn-

ton High School. Tickets for the performance may be purchased from any choir member for 75 cents or for \$1.00 at the door.

Two New Secretaries Are Welcomed To TJC Office

Two new secretaries in the Thornton Junior College office, Mrs. Nancy Hirsig, 2207 West 175th, Homewood, and Mrs. Margaret Landherr, 15142 Ashland, Harvey, have aided TJC students during registration in the past few weeks.

Mrs. Hirsig, formerly employed at Thornridge High School, Dolton, attended Elmhurst College for a year and has also gone to night school here at Thornton. Mrs. Landherr has worked for Esquire Incorporated of Chicago.



A certificate for outstanding service to the Men's Club was presented to Dennis Johnson Monday evening at the Mother-Son Banquet. Presenting the award to Dennis (center) are Wayne Marley, Men's Club president, and Sam Belmont, master-of-ceremonies for the banquet.

TJC Graduate Is a Member Of Peace Corps in Thailand

By Tom Girard

A 1957 graduate of Thornton Junior College, Shirley Merrick, is currently serving in the Peace Corps in Thailand.

Miss Merrick has been at a training college in Bangkok, Thailand, since January 4, 1963. Since then, she has written an average of two letters a week to her parents who live at 15233 Lexington Avenue in Harvey. Mrs. Merrick says the letters contain many interesting facts about the places and people in Thailand.

Shirley graduated from Thornton High School in 1954 and worked a year before coming to TJC. She went on to Eastern Illinois University and then to Illinois State Normal University where she received her degree.

After graduating from Illinois State Normal, Shirley taught a year as a Lincolnway grammar school in New Lenox, Illinois before signing up for the Peace Corps.

Mrs. Merrick said Shirley is very happy in the Peace Corps and finds it a rewarding experience. She receives a lot of satisfaction from helping the people of Thailand.

"New opportunities will be open this summer for graduates of two-year colleges to fill more than 900 jobs as Peace Corps Volunteers in Latin America, Asia, and Africa," announced Robert L. Gale, Director of Recruiting for the Peace Corps.

Holders of associate degrees or degrees in specialized vocational fields," said Mr. Gale, "have the background and training urgently needed in Peace Corps programs in Iran, Venezuela, Tanganyika, Ecuador, Brazil, Ecuador, Nigeria, Panama, Thailand, Peru, Nepal, British Honduras, Tunisia, Nyasa-

land, Philippines, Colombia, Sabah-Sarawak and Senegal."

Volunteers are needed to help set up children's parks and recreation programs to serve the mushrooming slums which ring Venezuela's large cities.

They are needed to teach and demonstrate plumbing, masonry, surveying, road construction, self-help home improvement, and the techniques required to obtain safe water supplies and build sanitary facilities.

Graduates of two-year colleges, who have majored in liberal arts are especially well qualified for one of the Peace Corps' most important programs—community development. The experience of "community action" is a built-in feature of American life—people getting together to solve their own problems. But in many parts of the world, this is a new idea. Basically, the big job in community development is to teach democracy on village level, to encourage the villagers to cooperate in achieving some of their long-deferred hopes.

Holders of associate degrees in liberal arts will be especially welcomed this summer for community development and social welfare projects to stimulate self-help activities in underprivileged countries.

Most of these programs do not require previous knowledge of a foreign language. Peace Corps training includes thorough language preparation. Volunteers receive intensive classroom and laboratory work in the language of the country to which they are assigned. It is given by a modern, concentrated method designed to have the students thinking in the new language, as well as speaking it, by the time they finish the course.

In addition to the \$75 per month readjustment allowance paid aside for them by the Peace Corps, volunteers receive living allowances to cover the cost of food, housing, transportation, appropriate clothing and miscellaneous expenses. Medical care is provided by the Peace Corps.

Especially appealing to two-year graduates are the opportunities to learn a new language, live in a foreign country for two years, and come home to find \$1,800 saved up in the bank—all while helping their country in its effort to help mankind.

Courier Writer Relates Wild, Strange World of Hypnotism

By Tom Kelly

"Peanuts! Get your Men's Club peanuts! Only ten cents a bag!"

At numerous times during the Men's Club Mother Son Banquet, Glen Van Haren sent the audience into a state of hilarity with his cry. The reason for the humor of the situation was that Glen was hypnotized at the time and actually had no peanuts to sell.

When Mr. Edwin L. Baron, guest speaker for the evening and noted hypnotist, called for volunteers, I decided to give it a try although I doubted whether I, or anyone, could actually be hypnotized. Mr. Baron started out with a small group of volunteers and performed various routine experiments. The most hilarious was probably the case of the stuttering cat upon all those under

Mr. Baron's spell.

After finishing with the small group, Mr. Baron hypnotized the rest of the volunteers, including myself. I can't honestly say that I was hypnotized because I have my doubts. Unlike most of the others who couldn't remember a thing, I remember every bit.

Whether I was hypnotized or not, I can honestly say the whole ordeal was very enjoyable. When I woke up, I felt extremely relaxed and happy, although tired. Since the experiment in which Mrs. Massick and I decided to give up smoking, many people have offered me a cigarette. I must confess that I don't think it worked on me. True, I haven't had a cigarette since Monday, but then now is as good a time as any to kick the habit.



Miss Dora A. Halverson and Miss Adelaide Childs were honored recently for 15 years of service at Thornton Junior College. Miss Halverson is librarian of the junior college library and Miss Childs is Dean of Women and an English instructor. Miss Halverson was presented a portable typewriter and Miss Childs received a watch.



Sophomore Rick Finnell, under hypnotic trance, is frozen like a statue and lowered almost parallel to the floor by the noted hypnotist Edwin L. Baron at Monday's Mother-Son Banquet.

Newman Club Holds Hayride

The Newman Club will sponsor a hayride for all Thornton Junior College students this Saturday, May 16, at 8 p.m. The hayride will be held at the Sky-Hi Stables, 172nd and Central Avenue. Tickets may be purchased from any Newman Club officers for \$1.00.

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Courier's Co-ed



The honorary Courier Co-ed for May is Mrs. Eva Lass; she performs a valuable service for all TJC students. Mrs. Lass is the person most responsible for neatness and cleanliness of the Union building. The Courier wishes to take this time to express the gratitude of all Thornton Junior College students and faculty.

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See the funny people. They are TJC freshmen. They are all muddy and wet. Color them losers . . .

THE COURIER GOES TO A MUDDYS

By Karen Bevard
and Mike Jerding

The big Boulderino tug-of-war "came off" last Friday as the mud splattered frosh and sophomore men battled across Thornton Creek.

After half heartedly attending classes, TJC students piled into the waiting cars and drove out to the forest preserve.

By the time the car caravan reached Jurgenson's Woods, the stage was set; enthusiasm was tremendous, the creek was high, and several industrious sophomores had made both sides of the creek so sloppy that it took a special kind of coordination to walk along either bank without falling in.

During the cross-creek mud slinging, before the tug of war began, several sophomore challengers were silenced by direct hits and loud splats sounded every few seconds. Freshmen girls tried to cross the creek to cheer their men on, but most of them just succeeded in getting wet and muddy shoes.

The Onslaught Begins

At last, Mr. Don Williams, basketball and tennis coach, fired the starting gun to halt the mud battle and handed the rope to the opponents. Sophomore attempts to grease the rope were thwarted and both sides tried but failed to tie their end of the rope around a tree.

A second shot heralded the onslaught as straining sophos pulled the helpless freshmen into the muddy water. Freshmen fought their way back to their own side, but finally ended up eating mud on the sophomore bank, making the overall record, sophos — four wins, frosh — three.

After a little more mud flinging

and dunking there was a mass exodus to the water pump where TJC men tried to repair the damage, partially at least.

Boulderino gave TJC students wet feet, sore throats, muddy faces, and that special combination of excitement and fun that breeds real school spirit and "togetherness."

For a personal account of last Friday's Boulderino see Doug Smith's report on page 2 of today's Courier.



With a mighty swing, Mr. Byron Kee lets a tremendous blast deep into the outfield . . . or does he? Better luck next time — you still have two strikes left.



After all the fun is over, the long job of cleaning up before the dance takes place.



The "Normandy Invasion" happens all over again as the freshmen charge the sophomores after losing the tug-of-war.



See the mighty men. They are TJC sophomores. They are winning the tug-of-war. Color them strong.

SPLASH PARTY—THE BOULDERINO



Not all the fun occurs during the tug-of-war. Here a group of students wearily climb back onto dry land following their plunge into the "clear water" of the creek!



The freshmen took advantage of their size and number by ganging up on unsuspecting sophomores. At least it's all in good-natured fun.



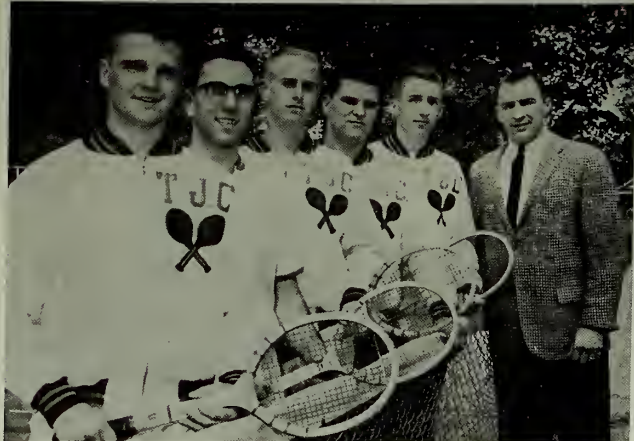
"Hey! No fair dunking the girls!" Actually the young lady slipped while crossing the creek. She is being helped by a TJC gentleman. Chivalry is not dead.



Bob Fisher looks like a blood stained warrior after the battle, but he is really unharmed, except for a little pride. A touch of mud never killed anyone.



What's this? Someone is actually clean. Fred Heise, in the car, Ray Sundberg, and friends pose with their dolled-up Volkswagen before the battle. Evidently they stayed clean.



Thornton JC's tennis squad owns a 6-1 overall record and has assured itself of at least a tie for conference honors. Members of the team are (left to right) Jack Grzesik, Sam

Belmont, Ed Adams, Tom McCollum, and Jim Keeney with Coach Don Williams. Missing from the picture is Ralph Niemann who suffered a concussion in an auto accident.

From The Press Box

By Mike Jerding

For two years I have roamed the sports arenas of Thornton Junior College and for three semesters my observations have appeared in *Courier*. How does one round up all his thrills and adventures in sports and put it into one lump? The answer is that you can't, but can highlight the period.

What can you say about following the career of a young college basketball coach from its start and watching his team win 38 games and lose only seven in just two years? Don Williams put Thornton Junior College basketball up on a pedestal and he quite possibly may have started a dynasty. His teams thrilled junior college crowds with sharp, high-scoring play that beat top teams and captured a share of a league title.

The only qualm I had about basketball, especially this past season, was the lack of student interest in a team that had the potential of a national champion. There was a burst of enthusiasm at tournament time and when the Bulldogs upset by Joliet, some of the student body thought they had the right to mourn the loss. Immediately following the game, the two bus loads of "heart-aching" students waited for the team and applauded when they entered the gym. It was a nice gesture, but it was phony. Only a few of those tear-stained individuals realized how much the tournament meant to Williams, Ryan, Masick and the rest of the team. Few of those emotionally wrought students followed this team through practice after practice all season long. They didn't have the right to cry about a team that will not see its equal in a long, long time.

Football Has Potential

Pete Schloss has been coaching football at Thornton for more than he'd probably like to admit, but I doubt whether he will ever have a situation like he had last fall. Pete had to start molding a team with only three returning letters in the first inning, but Marley's circuit blast with the bases full put the Bulldogs of top, 4-2.

Morton moved ahead 7-4 in the seventh inning, but a drive in the eighth stanza by the Harvey crew tied the score at 7-7.

An unearned run off relief hurler Danny Fox in the ninth inning proved to be the winning margin. Fox walked the first base runner who moved around the bases to third on a pair of passed balls. The runner scored on a sacrifice fly to deep center field.

men. He had no idea what the freshmen class had in the way of football players, but he did know enough to almost break (3-4-1). By the end of the season Thornton had a fairly sharp and was a real credit to So. who is looking forward to next year. I have a hunch TJC have one of the better teams in country this coming fall.

Thornton's dream of going to the national tournament year is over, with the defeat by Morton, but it was that on a life time experience that I am able to travel with the team year. This was without a doubt the high point in my two years at TJC and something I shall not forget.

Coach Jim Carlson had a more talented squad this season than he took to Colorado, but the oddity of baseball.

Champs in Golf and Tennis. Tennis and golf also had championship teams. Spectators, like football and basketball to some degree baseball, are popular because of their universal appeal. Few at TJC know, however, if they didn't read *Courier's* sports page that Thornton ever had golf and tennis squads. Yet TJC came up with golf team that was hardly beat and won the conference title.

The same was true of tennis. The tennis boys have already copped a share of the crown league championship and promise to advance a long way along the tourney trail.

Before I pack my bags and move on to another school there is one another facet of junior college sports that is seldom recognized that I would like to mention as this is concluding.

The Real Heroes

Perhaps the only ones who appreciate TJC's cheering squad this year were the players on the teams. The men who slosh around in the mud and freeze in football and the "rub-rub" and someone on the sidelines acknowledged their sacrifices. When basketball squad walked into strange gym or played before an unfriendly crowd at some old school the cheers of these ever-vigilant young women brought them comfort. The squad (consisting of Nancy Schleuter, Kathy Gen, Marilyn Lau, Joy Fies, Betty Sells, and Joan LaRue) showed unyielding bravery. It would your heart good to watch the girls go into their contortions with no crowd to back them up with gym classes and janitors watch as disinterested spectators.

These highlights have made a big percentage of what I observed in the past two years the world of sports at Thornton Junior College. Sentiment, though is not appropriate here. With growth and popularity of junior colleges all across the country, can dream of vast improvements in junior college athletics. I can't say this: If the caliber of sports proves in the junior colleges across the nation to the point of equaling the caliber I have viewed at Thornton, its popularity will know bounds. I am glad to have been part of it.

Netmen Are Ready For Tournaments

Thornton Junior College's championship tennis squad travel to La Grange today to vie in the conference tournament.

Finishing the regular season with an over-all 6-1 record, coach Don Williams and his crew assured themselves of at least a tie for the conference championship by beating Amundsen 2-1 in a real thriller here in Harvey last Monday afternoon.

Ed Adams continued his mastery in the singles matches with dominant 6-0, 6-0 victories. Jack Grzesik went down to defeat by the same scores and the match was even 1-1 when the doubles competition started.

With Ralph Niemann in the hospital due to an auto mishap, Jim Keeney stepped into his shoes as the other half of the doubles combination with Sam Belmont and pulled out 7-5 and 6-1 wins to give Thornton the championship.

Next Friday the squad will go to Joliet and enter in the Region IV tournament.

Wright Downs Bulldogs, 4-2

TJC's Jerry Rehr went the route again for the Bulldogs Tuesday, but he gave up too much too early (three runs in the first inning) and lost a 4-2 decision to Wright Junior College.

The loss meant that Coach John Carlson's boys are almost out of the Northern Illinois Junior College Baseball League race with a 1-2 record. The Bulldogs will have to win every league game till the end of the season to even think about conference honors.

Third baseman Don Olsen was the hitting star for Thornton as the slim six-footer belted two triples and two singles in four trips to the plate. He collected four of the team's five hits.

Thornton scored in the second, when Olsen crossed the plate after Andy Scianna's sacrifice fly and in the fourth when Olsen's single brought in John Hoese.

No Colorado Trip This Year; Bulldogs Ousted by Morton

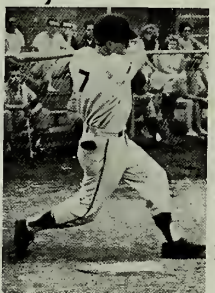
All chances for a return trip to the National Junior College baseball finals for the Bulldogs of Thornton Junior College ended in the District two qualifying tournament at Berwyn last week. After winning the first round game by a convincing margin, the Bulldogs came back to drop a tight decision to host Morton.

Thornton finished sixth in the National JuCo baseball finals in Grand Junction, Colorado, last year. This year's Midwest champion will advance from a Region IV tournament being held this week in Lincoln, Illinois.

Thornton opened the tournament with a smashing 22-3 victory over Wilson Junior College of Chicago. An unearned run in the bottom of the ninth inning proved fatal to TJC's tourney drive last Thursday afternoon as the Bulldogs fell to Morton, 8-7.

Despite a pair of grand slam homers by sophomores Wayne Marley and some very adequate mound performances, Thornton was undone by unearned runs and fielding errors.

Four homers including Marley's blasted highlighted the romp over



Wayne Marley, the author of this swing, hit a grand slam homer in both tournament games for the Bulldogs. But even with Marley's help, Thornton bowed out of the tournament last week to Morton JC 8-7.

Wilson. Clearing the bases were Don Olsen, Frank Ganster, and Charlie Joliff.

The score see-sawed back-and-forth in the Thornton-Morton encounter. Morton went ahead 2-0



This is one potential run Thornton didn't get that might have won the game for the Bulldogs against Morton. Wayne Mar-

ley gets into the picture again as the Morton catcher puts the tag on him.

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